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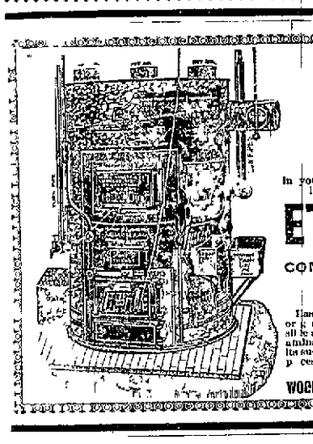

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IN CONGRESS.

The Senate Passed the Free Coinage Substitute

To the House Bond Bill on Saturday by a Majority of Nine.

Long Agony of Silver Talk at Last at End--Other Matters Saturday.

WASHINGTON, Feb 1 When the Senate met at 11 o'clock this morning after taking a recess from 10 o'clock last evening, the attendance of Senators was rather slim The Vice President laid before the Senate an estimate of appropriation by the Secretary of the Navy of $50 000 for new practice vessels for the Naval Academy.

Mr Morrill (Rep, Vt) Chairman of the Finance Committee, addressed the Senate in opposition to the free coinage substitute, reported by that committee for the House bond bill

The Senate, by a vote of 13 yeas and 39 nays, defeated Mr Butler's amendment, which prohibits any future issue of bonds, and requires payment of silver in redeeming United States notes, when that metal is worth less than gold

Discussion proceeding under the five-minute rule, Mr Daniel (Dem, Va) opposed the amendment proposed by Mr Butler (Pop, N C) requiring the Secretary of the Treasury to pay out either gold or silver, as the case may require, when the two metals were not at a parity, as one that was impracticable

Mr Gray (Dem, Del) said that the practical effect of such an amendment would be equivalent to a declaration that the Government was bound to cheat the holders of its obligations if it could

Mr Lindsay (Dem, Ky) held that the proposed amendment was contrary to the very principle on which the friends of free coinage based their claims

Senators Jones, Harris, Teller and Dubois urged that the substitute be passed without amendment

Mr Butler (Pop, N C) urged the adoption of his amendment He did not want, he said, to see a free coinage bill become a law until something like his amendment became a law with free coinage, pure and simple would not bring about a parity

"If you don't pass this amendment" said Mr Butler "every free coinage man will have to hang his head in shame" Without his amendment free coinage was useless

The amendment compels the Secretary of the Treasury to pay out silver when that metal was worth less than gold

Mr Butler's amendment was defeated, 13 to 60

Mr Allen (Pop, Neb) offered an amendment depriving the Secretary of the Treasury of the power to issue bonds without the prior authority of Congress

Mr White (Dem, Cal) thought it unwise to load the measure with "Greek amendments" Gifts of that character might result in the defeat of the substitute

Mr Mills (Dem, Tex) said he would vote for the committee substitute in order to defeat the House bill The House bill, if passed, might become a law, but he was perfectly satisfied that if the substitute were carried it could never become a law

Mr Gorman recalled the appeal of the President to Congress to remain here during the holidays and construct a measure for the relief of the treasury

The Senate Committee, hostile to that relief, had reported in favor of the unlimited coinage of silver It was, he said, impossible to have this substitute become a law, prior, at least, to March 4, 1897 It could not, and would not, receive the sanction of the President Under the conditions existing in the Senate the friends of free coinage could not agree upon any proposition. He therefore moved that the amendment offered by the committee on Finance be laid on the table It was defeated by a vote of 43 to 34

Mr Morrill's amendment to retain as seigniorage in the Treasury the difference between the coinage and the commercial value of the silver proposed to be coined was defeated by a vote of 33 to 44

Mr Cockrell (Dem, Mo) and Mr Harris (Dem, Tenn) insisted that the agreement stipulated that the final vote on the substitute should be taken at 2 o'clock

A parliamentary wrangle then followed

Various amendments were withdrawn and the final vote on committee amendment was proceeded with

The committee amendment prevailed by a vote of 43 to 34

Then Mr Lodge (Rep, Mass) offered his fortifications amendment, and Mr Jeller moved to lay it on the table That motion was agreed to without a division

The bill as amended was passed without a division, and was then reported to the Senate, its consideration hitherto having been in committee of the whole

The bill as amended by the Senate providing for free coinage, was finally passed by a vote of 42 to 35

The long struggle was over at 3 1 M, and then there was an executive session and the Senate at 5 15 P M, adjourned till Tuesday

In the House

Mr Powers (Rep, Vt) in the House to-day asked unanimous consent for the consideration of the bill passed yesterday by the Senate giving to the widow of the late Justice Miller of the supreme court of the United States $7,419, the balance of the salary for the year within which he died. Mr Powers stated that the deceased justice left only a single piece of property, burdened with a mortgage of $8,000 and the widow was in need of the money Objection was made by several members, who thought the bill should go to the committee

Mr. Taft (Rep, O) reported favorably the resolution asking the President to transmit to the House the correspondence with the German government respecting the refusal to permit American insurance companies to continue their business in that country and it was agreed to.

Consideration was resumed in committee of the whole of the District of Columbia appropriation bill. The appropriations for private charities was the subject of attack led by Mr. Hainer (Rep., Neb) and pending that the House adjourned till Monday.

CLEVELAND DENOUNCED

Decided Sensation in a Lynn Church on Sunday.

LYNN, Mass., Feb. 2. There was a decided sensation at the services in the Lynn Labor church today, over the sermon of Rev. Herbert N. Casson, who condemned the administration of President Cleveland in the strongest terms. The Speaker commented upon the recent action of Senator Tillman and said his address and actions would be never erased from the history of this country. The following resolutions were unanimously adopted at the services:

We heartily endorse the brave and patriotic words of Senator Tillman, and believe his charges against the Democratic and Republican leaders true and easily proven; we pledge ourselves to uphold him and his few colleagues, as long as they defend the rights of the people against the legal tyrannies and embezzlements of the rich.

STORM COMING.

It Will be Snow and Possibly Rain, U.S DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2 8 P. M.

Indications:

Forecast for Monday: For New England nearly clearing in the morning followed by increasing cloudiness and snow at night, northerly shifting to easterly winds Signals displayed on the Atlantic coast from Breakwater to Eastport

Local Forecast.

BOSTON, Feb. 2. Local forecast for Monday, fair, increasing cloudiness, rain or snow Monday night, northeast winds

HUNDREDS DYING.

Pitiable Condition of the Armenians at Zeitoun.

Disease and Exposure to Intense Cold Causing Many Deaths;

Newspapers Containing Certain Speeches Suppressed by Sultan.

LONDON, Feb 1 A Constantinople despatch of Jan 31 says the government has forbidden the circulation in Turkey of English newspapers of January 27, which contain despatches from Washington giving the United States Senate resolutions regarding the condition of affairs in Armenia and also a report of the speech delivered at Birmingham on the night of January 25th by Joseph Chamberlain secretary of state for the colonies, in which Chamberlain declared that the condition of Armenia was a danger and a disgrace to Europe

The despatch also says that the Russian consul, who has reached Zeitoun, has reported that hundreds of Armenians who are holding that town are dying from disease and exposure to the intense cold

WOMAN MURDERED

It is Supposed that Burglars Committed the Deed

BOSTON, Feb 1 Mrs Sophia M Load, about 40 years old, who kept a lodging house at 33 Brighton street, Charlestown, near the Somerville line was found dead lying in her kitchen about 11 o'clock tonight with three bullet wounds in her head and her head terribly bruised and cut as with an axe The house had been ransacked and although the police have as yet no clue to the murderers it is thought that the crime was committed by burglars

Arrest of Suspected Murderer

BOSTON, Feb 2 Mrs Ida Quinlan aged 25, sister of Mrs Grant, the woman murdered in Charlestown Saturday night, was arrested this morning on suspicion Stains of a suspicious character were found on the dress she wore Saturday night The police claim they are in the possession of other facts that throw suspicion upon Mrs Quinlan

Mrs Quinlan and her husband separated about four months ago, and it is said Mrs Grant was partly the cause of the separation owing to her attempts to convert Mrs Quinlan to A P Also the police discovered no apparent motive for the murder

B W Grant the husband of the murdered woman who is janitor of a building in Providence R I He came here to-night and called upon the police and satisfactorily accounted for his whereabouts last night He was not detained He and his wife had not lived together

CENSURE OF BAYARD.

Resolutions Adopted by House Foreign Affairs Committee.

WASHINGTON, Feb 1 A resolution censuring Ambassador Bayard for the sentiments expressed by him in his recent English speeches was adopted by the House Foreign Affairs Committee this afternoon Two resolutions were reported The first censures Mr Bayard by name for the language used by him in his Boston and Edinburgh speeches, and incorporated with this was a second resolution expressing the disapproval of the committee of our representatives abroad discussing American political affairs and displaying partisanship and the condemnation of political parties or other reputable organizations of American citizens.

The subject of Bayard's alleged indiscretions was fully discussed by the committee The discussion was precipitated by the calling up by Chairman Hitt of the resolutions which were prepared respectively by Messrs Pearson, of North Carolina, and Cousins, of Iowa Party lines were at once strictly drawn, the Democrats opposing any censure of Ambassador Bayard, while the Republicans insisted that his offence deserved a rebuke from the American Congress Mr McCreary, of Kentucky, and Mr Money, of Mississippi championed Bayard's cause Mr. McCreary contended that the United States had never impeached any of its officials for language used by them and that impeachment was the last recourse for an indictable offense only

Such resolutions, he declared, were an intrusion upon the executive The President nominated ministers and ambassadors, the Senate confirmed them, and the House had nothing to do with them

This position was warmly combatted by Mr. Cousins, who showed a large number of impeachments which had occurred for offenses not indictable, and he knew of one instance where a United States Judge had been impeached because of a certain speech delivered by him

Mr McCreary urged delay in the matter, requesting that the original committee of three should be enlarged by the addition of two other members who should take time to consider the matter thoroughly before reporting to the full committee, the importance of the subject being such that hasty action could be deprecated. This was promptly voted down, the argument advanced by the Republicans being that the matter was now before the full committee and that reference to a new committee was unnecessary.

The resolutions were adopted by a strict party vote with the exception that Mr Newlands, of Nevada, who is a representative of the silver party, joined the Republicans, while the Democrats opposed them. All the members of the committee were present except Mr Draper (Rep., Mass.).

Chairman Hitt will present the resolutions with the majority report to the House Monday. A report embodying the views of the minority will probably be submitted by Mr. Dinsmore. Chairman Hitt declines to make public the text of the resolutions.

POSTMASTERS CONFIRMED

Four Places in Maine Interpreted

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1. The following postmasters have been confirmed for Maine. G. L. Swett, at Portland; C. C. Harvey, at Fort Fairfield; H. H. Raymond at Cumberland; A. L. Stephenson, at Togus.

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JONES IN THE WAY

Of Immediate Discussion of the Revenue Measure.

Not Known When It Will be Reported to the Senate by Committee.

House Attending Strictly to Business and Acting Promptly on Matters.

WASHINGTON, Feb 2 The Senate does not convene again until Tuesday It has no unfinished business before it, and consequently the course of proceedure during the week may depend largely upon the action of the Finance Committee upon the tariff bill The Republicans hope to be able to report that measure Tuesday but Mr Jones, of Nevada, who holds the balance of power in the committee and who has insisted upon the sugar schedule being raised in the same proportion as other schedules, stated yesterday that he thought the bill would not be ready to report Tuesday

This was said some hours after the free silver amendment had passed the senate and is therefore regarded as indicating that Mr Jones' opposition to speedy reporting of the tariff bill has something besides silver back of it

Mr Dubois has kept resolutions providing for the distribution of appropriation bills among the various committees in the background because of his desire not to antagonize the silver bill That being out of the way, it is not unlikely that he may call this resolution up at an early day

The Cuban resolutions reported last week and the Davis resolutions on the Monroe doctrine both of which are on the calendar, may possibly be taken up, and it an will afford abundant opportunity for debate The majority and minority report in the Dupont case involving the seat of a senator from Delaware will be called up at the first opportunity

When the bond bill with the Senate's free coinage amendment is reported to the House to-morrow it will probably be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and if so, on Tuesday next when that committee meets, it will undoubtedly recommend non concurrence in the Senate amendment Whether this bill so amended shall be permitted to come to engage the attention of the House to the exclusion of other business has not been determined The probabilities are said to be that it will be sent to a conference and without much doubt the House will proceed with the appropriation bills

The District of Columbia appropriation bill will come up Monday for further, and it is hoped, final consideration The agricultural appropriation bill is ready on the calendar and the Indian and military bills are simply waiting to be reported from the committees having charge of them The Foreign Affairs committee will be ready almost any time to report the resolution censuring Ambassador Bayard and an interesting debate will doubtless occur

CREW SUFFERED SEVERELY

Had a Hard Time for Five Days at Sea

PORTLAND Me, Feb 1 The overdue bark Alice, of this port Captain Dodge, arrived today from Turks Island with a cargo of salt She was delayed by a series of storms The crew suffered intensely for five days, during which they were allowed only a few swallows of water daily This was obtained by condensing sea water on a galley stove The salt from the cargo had gotten into the vessel's water tanks, making the water unfit for use. A passing vessel finally supplied the Alice with fresh water

INCENDIARY STRIKERS

Charged that they Burned Railroad Property

LEBANON, Ind, Feb. 2 Nothwithstanding the striking Chicago and Southern Railway men declared their intention to obey the law, fire broke out in the caboose yards adjoining the shops about 3 this morning, undoubtedly the work of incendiaries.

Every caboose in the yard was destroyed

Advices from Westfield say the depot and a large amount of freight went up in smoke It is charged that both fires were the work of strikers or sympathizers

FOREIGN NEWS.

Discussion of Important Relations Between Great Britain and Russia

LONDON, Feb. 1 Whatever may be the exact nature of the Russian-Turkish entente diplomatic developments show that Russia does not desire to challenge Great Britain or the other powers thereon Negotiations between St Petersburg and London point to Russia's intention to obtain the assent of Great Britain to the proposed twenty years' occupation by the former of six vilayets in Anatolia. Under the Cyprus convention Great Britain is pledged "to intervene with force to prevent a Russian occupation of Asia Minor." Russia now proposes a revision of this convention, and it is understood that she is willing to assent to Great Britain's permanently acquiring the island of Cyprus by purchase

Cyprus is administered by Great Britain under a convention concluded between the former and the Sultan in 1878 The Porte is willing to sell the island, the purchase money enabling it to obtain funds much needed for the Turkish treasury.

France will not oppose the purchase by Great Britain. She supports Russian intervention in Anatolia, but as a part of a general deal is separately bargaining with England for the abolition of the Anglo-Tunisian treaty, by the terms of which Great Britain obtained in perpetuity the most favored nation treatment. The Tunis states with the abrogation of the treaty would become an absolutely French possession.

On the other hand Lord Salisbury aims to keep the Tunis question apart, with the supposed view to get in return for the abolition of the treaty the surrender of French fishing rights in Newfoundland.

No reliable information can be obtained as to what portion the Dardanelles question will take in the diplomatic imbroglio.

Among the significant aspects of the situation are Italy's support of Great Britain in the matter of Cyprus and Russian occupation of Anatolia, the exclusion of Germany and Austria, the other two members of the Triple Alliance, in discussing the arrangements and the increasing prospects of harmonized relations between Great Britain, France and Russia. It is reported at the Stock Exchange here and in various European bourses that Turkey has proposed to float a loan of $4,000,000 to guarantee the payment of the Russian claims. Overtures, it is said, have been made to the London and Paris houses to take the loan, but without result.

Rumors of Resignation of German Ministers Denied.

BERLIN, Feb. 1. The rumors in circulation here of the impending resignation of Prince Von Hohenlohe, the Imperial chancellor, and Herr Von Boetticher, minister of the Imperial Home office and Herr Hollmann, the head of the Imperial admiralty, have been traced to journalists who claim protection with high official sources of information. These rumors created a great stir until semi-officially denied, when the interest they had awakened subsided.

Change in Ministry in Ecuador.

PANAMA, Feb. 1. A Guayaquil, Ecuador, despatch says the ministers of public works and public education have resigned and their resignations have been accepted and their successors appointed. Adolfo Pons was appointed governor of the Pichincha province of Ecuador.

The members of the order of Christian Brothers, the despatch says, having become convinced that they are repelled by public opinion have resolved to leave the country.

A SCENE OF RUIN.

Terrific Conflagration in Philadelphia on Sunday.

A Loss of Considerably Over a Million Caused by the Fierce Flames.

It Was Worst Fire in that City for Many Years--Several Persons Injured.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb 2 The fiercest most stubborn and most destructive fire that has visited Philadelphia in years broke out at 3 20 this morning in the cellar of the Hazeltine building, 1416 and 1418 Chestnut street, and before it was subdued the Hazeltine building and the American Baptist Publication Society's building 1420 and 1422 Chestnut street, were destroyed, the dry goods store of Homer, Lebouteillier & Co, 1412 and 1414 Chestnut street, badly damaged and the rear of Hotel Lafayette, which faced on Broad street damaged $75,000

The approximate total loss by the fire is $1 075 000 the greater part of which is covered by insurance

The cause of the fire is not definitely known

When the firemen arrived the Hazeltine building was already a mass of flames in the interior The building was seven stories in height with an ornate front of brick and terra cotta It was very substantially built and at first the firemen thought they could confine the fire within its walls The flames spread through the building with great fury and the fire was soon beyond control Several alarms brought nearly every fire company out The flames leaped high into the air and burst out in the rear of the building on Sansom street, threatening a handsome club house of the Union League Club with destruction

Fortunately the wind blew the flames and sparks in another direction The rear stories of the Lafayette Hotel towered high above the Hazeltine building and the flames leaped over the wall to warm the hotel

By this time most of the guests in the hotel had been awakened and as the building seemed in imminent danger they were warned to leave Scantily clothed men and women poured out into Broad street, dragging with them their trunks and bags The night cabmen garnered a harvest of dollars in conveying the guests to other hotels The police patrol wagons were pressed into service for this duty

The fire spread from the Hazeltine building to the four story marble building of the Baptist Publication Society and this was soon a mass of flames Like the Hazeltine building it extended 230 feet from back from Chestnut street to Sansom street The Lafayette Hotel was recently reopened after being altered and refurnished at a cost of $300 000 The firemen directed most of their attention toward saving this building It was on fire at least fifty times The department did splendid work and confined the flames to the rooms on the eighth and ninth floors, facing the fire The wall of the Hazeltine building towering three stories above the dry goods store of Homer, Lebouteillier & Co fell in upon the latter place and crashed through the skylight in the center of the store into the cellar

The firemen poured a great volume of water upon the smoking mass of bricks and saved the store from destruction It was not until the Hazeltine building and Baptist building were entirely destroyed and after five hours of hard work that the fire was subdued

The Hazeltine building was owned by Charles F Hazeltine, art dealer The ground floors were occupied by the Stetson Piano Co and the second floor by Mr Hazeltine as an art gallery The rest of the building was taken up with studios and offices Only the front wall of the building remains standing The loss on the building is probably $250 000 Mr Hazeltine claims that his stock of pictures was worth $150,000 The building was fully insured and he had a partial insurance on the pictures

J B Woodford, manager of the Stetson Company, could not estimate the loss, but it is probably about $75,000 fully insured

The loss to the tenants of the building will probably foot up $20,000 more The loss to the American Baptist Publication Society is $200 000 on stock and machinery and $150 000 on the building On the stock the insurance is $200 000 and building $115 000 In the cellar of the Baptist Publication Society in the vaults is $600 000 worth of plates of the publications and it is not known whether these are destroyed The most serious loss to the Publication Society is the destruction of the valuable library of the Baptist Historical Society and several hundred historical papers of the denomination that cannot be replaced Tenants of the Publication Society a building lose about $25,000

Homer, Lebouteillier & Co's loss is $75 000, covered by insurance The loss on the Lafayette Hotel is $75,000 by fire and water This loss is covered by insurance The hotel is owned by the Morris Phillips estate and leased by H O Smith a well known western hotel man The hotel reopened this evening for guests

Eight or nine firemen were injured by falling bricks but none was dangerously hurt A guest at the Lafayette Hotel in descending the stairs tripped and fell breaking an arm and several ribs This was the only casualty

GONE FISHING

Hon Frank Jones and Party at Tunk Camp

SORRENTO, Feb 1 Hon Frank Jones and a party of twenty five prominent New Englanders as guests arrived here to-day by special train on their way to Tunk Camp for four days' trout fishing

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Monetary Quotations.

NEW YORK, Feb 1 Money active, 5@6, last loan, 3, closing 2
Prime Mercantile paper 6@7
Bar Silver, 87⅝@⅞
Mexican Dollars, 69⅝
Sterling Exchange—weak, 4.87 @4.87⅛ for 60 day bills, 4 88@4.88⅛ demand
Government bonds steady
Railroad bonds easier

STOCKS.

Atchison	16⅝	Northwestern	100
Adams Express	140	preferred	143
American Express	111	N Y Central	97⅝
Boston & Maine	000	N. Y. Chic. & St L	18
Central Pacific	15⅝	preferred	70
Ches & Ohio	16⅝	N Y & N. E.	40
Chicago & Alton	154	Ohio & Miss	000
preferred	170	Old Colony	000
Chic Bur. & Quincy	77⅝	Out. & Westn	15⅝
Del Hudson	127	Pacific Mail	29
Del Lack	162	Pullman Palace	154
Den & Rio Grande	18	Reading	14⅝
Erie	19	Rock Island	69⅝
preferred	27	St. Paul	73⅝
Ills Central	99⅝	preferred	137⅝
Lake Erie & Westn	21⅝	St Paul & Omaha	57
Lake Shore	145⅝	preferred	110
Louisville & Nash	46⅝	St. Paul Min & Manitoba	125
Maine Central	000	Sugar	107⅝
Mexican Central	5⅝	Texas Pacific	6⅝
Mich. Cent	93	Union Pacific	34
Minn. & St L	1⅝	U. S. Express	40
preferred	7⅝	Wabash, St L & Pac.	7⅝
Mo Pacific	25⅝	preferred	17⅝
N J. Central	107⅝	Western Union	84
Northern Pacific	4⅝		
preferred	15⅝		

BONDS.

4s reg	107	Erie Seconds	70⅝
4s Coup	108⅝	Kan. Pac. Consols	71
U. S. 2s	95⅝	Oregon Nav 1st	107⅝
Central Pacific 1st	100	Union Pacific	103
Den. & Rio G. 1st	111⅝	No. Pac. con 5s	59

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No matter what the representation, don't buy a low-priced powder Baking powders sold at a lower price than Royal are almost invariably made from alum, and therefore inferior and dangerous to health.

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A TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.

Eight Persons Killed and About Sixty Injured

Church Walls Fell in While the People Were Attending a Service

Roof Descended Upon Worshippers Before They Could Effect an Escape

PARIS Feb 2 A terrible railroad accident in the killing of eight persons and wounding of sixty occurred today at Manlevcyer a village near Angers

The accident was due to the collapse of the village church while mass was being celebrated The structure was comfortably filled most of the worshippers being women and children

With very little warning the walls began to sway and before all the congregation could get outside fell The roof descended upon the struggling throng beneath and it is surprising no more were killed The work of removing the dead and rescuing the injured was promptly commenced by villagers and others from the country round about It is feared some of the injured will die

WASHINGTON NEWS.

The Debt Statement

WASHINGTON Feb 1 The debt statement issued this afternoon shows a net increase in the public debt less cash in the treasury during January of $5 774 976 01 The interest bearing debt increased $860 000 non interest bearing debt decreased $688 306 99 and cash in the treasury decreased $6 435 422 65 The total cash in the treasury was $174 053 725 72 The gold reserve was $45 845 500 Net cash balance $121 880 271 27

The official treasury statement of receipts and expenditures of the government for the seven months of the fiscal year to date was issued to-day It shows that the receipts were $136 505 [illegible] an increase of $9 612 000 over the corresponding seven months of last year Expenditures $215 401 101 a decrease of $5 983 000

Nomination of Col Coppinger Confirmed

The nomination of Col John J Coppinger, of the 24d Infantry to be brigadier general April 25 1895 vice General Wesley Merritt promoted to be major general, was confirmed by the Senate this afternoon

BRAKEMAN KILLED

Fell Between Cars and Was Fearfully Injured

PORTLAND, Me, Feb 1 Richard Muir, a freight brakeman on the mountain division of the Maine Central, residing in Bartlett, N H, lost his life by falling between the cars at Sawyers Junction this evening His right leg was cut off close to the body and the left leg was broken and badly mangled He was about 27 years old and unmarried He was brought to Portland but died on the way just the other side of Sebago Lake He was brought here on a special train, of engine and caboose

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At the above named meeting the company will determine whether the drive on the West Branch this year shall be made by the Company or let at auction If the Company decides to let the drive the Directors of said company will put the same up at auction at the office of the Treasurer of said Company, in Bangor, on the day of said meeting at 2 o clock in the afternoon

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Bangor, Jan 27, 1896

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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1896.

A Republican State Convention

—WILL BE HELD IN—

City Hall, Portland,

THURSDAY, APRIL 16th, 1896,

At Eleven O'clock A. M.

For the purpose of selecting six candidates for electors of President and Vice-President of the United States, and four delegates at large and four alternates to attend the National Republican Convention, to be held at St. Louis, Missouri, on Tuesday, June 16th, 1896, and transacting any other business that may properly come before it.

The basis of representation will be as follows: each City, Town and Plantation will be entitled to one delegate, and for each seventy-five votes cast for the Republican candidate for Governor in 1894, an additional delegate, and for a fraction of forty votes in excess of seventy-five votes, an additional delegate.

Vacancies in the delegation of any City, Town or Plantation can only be filled by a resident of the County in which the vacancy exists.

The State committee will be in session in the reception room of the hall at nine o'clock, on the morning of the convention, for the purpose of receiving the credentials of delegates. Delegates in order to be eligible to participate in the convention must be elected subsequent to the date of the call for this convention, and delegates under this call should not be elected to the State convention to be hereafter called for the purpose of nominating a candidate for governor.

All electors of Maine, without regard to past political differences, who are in sympathy with the sentiments expressed in the call of the Republican National Committee for the Republican National Convention, are cordially invited to unite with the Republicans of the State in electing delegates to this convention.

Per order Republican State Committee.

JOSEPH H. MANLEY, Chairman.

CARLTON BOWLEY, Secretary.

Augusta, Maine, Jan. 25, 1896.

Presidential Electors Must all be Chosen in State Convention.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, REPORT FROM STATE COMMITTEE. AUGUSTA, MAINE, JAN. 25, 1896.

To the Republican Electors of Maine—Prior to 1892 two Presidential Electors at large, corresponding in number with our United States Senators, were nominated by State conventions, and the remaining four were chosen by the electors of the Congressional districts, as the members of the House of Representatives were chosen. Several Congressional districts [illegible] Under the law, [illegible] the election of our electors [illegible] and four electors were chosen by the voters of the districts. Another change was made in 1892, in the fact that the Congressional districts in the different parts of the country are far from being alike.

[illegible] HANNIBAL HAMLIN.

Get Down to Business

Now that the free silver lunacy is out of the way in the Senate it is to be hoped that the members of that body may be able to settle down to business. The adoption of the free silver amendment to the tariff bill has been a force of circumstances, for at the same time the majority in the final passage of the bill being swelled. In this connection it is interesting to note that the Republicans gave a majority against the substitute of seven, while the Democrats gave a majority of eight for it. The measure now goes to the House, where it will be killed, as even its most earnest advocates admit that there is no prospect of any free silver legislation. It is now expected that the revenue measure will be reported to the House this week and the indications are that it will pass when brought to a vote practically as it came from the House.

For Reed

The Boston Post has made a canvass of the Massachusetts Legislature to ascertain the Presidential preferences of the members. Of the 152 Senators and Representatives recorded 115 are for Mr. Reed and three for Gov. McKinley. In these figures is found an evidence that the sons of Maine will go into the convention with New England solidly and enough votes from other States to insure the nomination. Another significant view of the matter is the fact that the Congressmen from the different parts of the country are for the Maine candidate.

Will Censure Bayard.

The House committee on Foreign Affairs has been considering for some time past what to do with Ambassador Bayard whose speeches aroused so much indignation in this country. There was a disposition on the part of a portion of the majority of the committee to treat the matter lightly, but this course was found to conflict very radically with the prevailing sentiment of the House and as a result has been abandoned. The resolution of censure which mentions Mr. Bayard by name will probably be reported to the House to-day. It will be accompanied by a majority and minority report, having been adopted in committee by a strict party vote. It thus appears that the Democrats propose to assume the championship of the Ambassador on purely partisan grounds, as there can really be but one opinion of the impropriety of Mr. Bayard's speeches, and it is to be admitted that his pretended defense did not improve the situation.

January Deficit.

The alleged Treasury surplus for the month of December, about which so much was said by the champions of the existing tariff law, has once more disappeared and the accounts for January disclose an admitted deficit of $3,158,159. The receipts in the Treasury Department during the month ending Friday last were $19,237,570 and the expenditures were $22,396,830, making the deficit for the month $3,159,159, and for the seventeen months of the law $74,164,296. This is discouraging. January and July are usually the heaviest months of Treasury receipts, yet in January or July of the Wilson law has produced money enough to meet the current expenses of the month or to equal the average monthly expenses of the year. January, 1895, the first January under the new law, produced a deficiency of $6,719,017. July, 1895, the first July under the Wilson law, produced receipts of $29,069,637 making a deficiency for that month of $9,475,366. January, 1896, the second January of the Wilson law, produced receipts of $20,237,670, making the deficit for that month $3,459,159. That is the record of the three best months of the Wilson law—a deficit of nearly $25,000,000. The record of the entire seventeen months of the law is a deficiency of $74,164,296. The details are as follows:

	Receipts.	Expenditures.	Surplus or Deficit.
November, 1893	$[illegible]	$[illegible]	$[illegible]
December, 1893	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
January, 1894	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
February, 1894	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
March, 1894	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
April, 1894	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
May, 1894	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
June, 1894	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
July, 1894	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
August, 1894	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
September, 1894	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
October, 1894	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
November, 1894	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
December, 1894	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
January, 1895	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
February, 1895	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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December, 1895	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
January, 1896	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Analyzing the figures the Washington correspondent of the New York Tribune says the contrast between the operations of the Wilson law in its first seventeen months and those of the McKinley law in its first seventeen months is startling. The Wilson law, as already indicated, has an acknowledged deficiency of $75,000,000, while in fact the deficit is over $100,000,000; the McKinley law in its first seventeen months had a surplus of over $26,016,193. The receipts under the Wilson law in its first seventeen months amount in round numbers to $429,000,000, while those of the McKinley law in its first seventeen months amounted to $512,581,723. Even in its last seventeen months, when importers were holding back their dutiable imports and thus reducing its receipts to an abnormally low figure, the McKinley law did far better than the Wilson law has done in the extremely advantageous parts of its first seventeen months. The receipts in the closing seventeen months of the McKinley law were $459,003,724, against $429,000,000 in round numbers in the first seventeen months of the Wilson law. Comparing the operations of the Wilson law in its first seventeen months with the first seventeen months and the last seventeen months of the McKinley law, the figures stand as follows:

Receipts first seventeen months McKinley law, $512,581,723; last seventeen months, $459,003,720. First seventeen months Wilson law, $429,000,000. Surplus, first seventeen months McKinley law, $26,016,193. Deficit first seventeen months Wilson law, $74,164,296.

In addition to this it must be remembered that had the sugar bounty and the alcohol refund been paid out as directed by law, the deficiency of the Wilson law would have been over $100,000,000 instead of the sum indicated above.

In only three months of the seventeen in which the Wilson law has been in operation has it made an apparent monthly surplus; in the other fourteen months there had been a monthly deficit. The three months in which the law has produced an apparent surplus were June, 1895, September, 1895, and December, 1895. There were special reasons in these cases why it was important that there should be an apparent surplus for that particular month. It was desired to make the deficiency for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1895, as small as possible, and by holding back June expenditures to reduce the apparent deficiency of that year. As a consequence the June expenditures were held down to $21,653,029, or about two-thirds the normal monthly expenditures, and the apparent surplus of $3,332,415 was produced. That it was an apparent surplus is shown by the fact that the expenditures of the following month were $33,343,063, and the deficiency of that month $9,475,366.

Another month in which it was important to make the appearance of a surplus was September, 1895, when interest in the fall elections was at its height and Democratic orators needed something to say in defence of the Wilson tariff law. That the pretended "surplus" of $3,000,000 in September was only an imaginary one is proven by the fact that the expenses of that month were only $24,330,481, while those of the month which followed it were $31,503,425, producing in this month a deficit of $6,691,[illegible]. It was also important to make the month of December show a surplus, both for its effect on Congress, which had just assembled, and in order to make the deficiency for the calendar year just ended as light as possible. So the expenditures were again held down, this time to $23,514,317, making the apparent surplus for the month $474,629. That this was produced by simply holding down the expenditures and not by a genuine surplus of receipts, is shown by the fact that the expenditures of the month of January, 1896, were in round numbers $32,000,000, or nearly $7,000,000 in excess of those of December. That the so-called "surpluses" of these three months in which the Wilson law has appeared to accomplish something were an arrant humbug is shown by the fact that the receipts of those months averaged only a little over $25,000,000, while the normal expenditures of the Government are over $30,000,000 a month the year round.

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MESSENGER'S NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF OF PENOBSCOT COUNTY, STATE OF MAINE.

Penobscot, ss. January 21, A. D. 1896.

This is to give notice that on the twenty second day of January, A. D. 1896, a warrant in insolvency was issued out of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Penobscot against the estate of Elmer C. Work, of Plymouth, in said County of Penobscot, adjudged to be an insolvent debtor, on petition of said debtor, which petition was filed on the twenty-first day of January, A. D. 1896, to which last named date interest on claims is to be computed; that the payment of any debts and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said debtor, to him or for his use, and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of said debtor, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency, to be holden at the Probate Court room in Bangor, in said County, on the twenty-fifth day of February, A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Given under my hand the date first above written.

GEO. S. CLARK, Deputy Sheriff,

As Messenger of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Penobscot.

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Outing Flannel Underskirts, about 40 left, finished with silk embroidery, we've sold hundreds of them at 79c, we shall close them out at .. 58c

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CLOVES.
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STATE OF MAINE.

PENOBSCOT ss. At a Probate Court holden at Bangor, within and for said County, on the thirteenth day of January, A. D. 1896, being an adjourned session of the January Term, A. D. 1896, of said Court.

Whereas, a petition has been duly filed, praying that the balance remaining in the hands of Lyndon Oak, administrator of the estate of Henry L. Oak, late of Garland, in said County, deceased, on settlement of his account, made at a Probate Court held at Bangor, within and for said County, on the last Monday of September, A. D. 1895, may be ordered to be distributed among the heirs of said deceased, and the share of each determined.

Ordered, that notice thereof be given to all persons interested therein, by publishing a copy of this order three weeks successively in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier, a newspaper printed at Bangor, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court then to be held at Bangor, within and for said County, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same.

JAMES E. BITHELL, Judge of Probate.

Attest: Amos E. Harry, Register.

A true copy of the original.

Attest: Amos E. Harry, Register.

Bangor Street Railway.

Time Table for February and March.

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NOTICE.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bangor Steam Laundry will be held at the office of Thomas Lawler, No. 15 Hammond, February 3d, 1896, at 7.30 o'clock P. M., for the choice of officers and any other business that may legally come before the meeting.
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VERY DISAPPOINTING.

The Speech Delivered by Lord Salisbury.

London Press Thinks Lord Dunraven Should Make Ample Apology.

London, Feb. 1.—(Special cable letter.) The speech delivered by Prime Minister Salisbury last night was very disappointing for the reason that he gave no indication that he was doing anything to settle the trouble with the United States and also for the reason that his statement concerning Armenia showed that there was little, if any, hope of the British government doing anything to mitigate the evils in that afflicted part of the Turkish dominions.

More definite information on all questions that have caused so much comment and uneasiness recently will undoubtedly be furnished, but it will require interpellations in the House of Commons to compel the government to give it. It is certain that Lord Salisbury's speech has only whetted the determination of the Liberals to challenge by amendments to the address in reply to the Queen's speech opening the session of Parliament the policy of the government towards Armenia and Venezuela. Though explanations may be demanded anent the Transvaal and Germany, no motion attacking the government in this direction will emanate from the opposition.

Parliament cannot effectively discuss the raid of Dr. Jameson into the Transvaal while judicial proceedings are pending against him and his followers, and the inquiry that will be made into the British South African company's complicity in the raid will postpone debate on the subject.

It can be said, however, that the whole strength of the Liberals, which will be brought to bear on the government in trying to obtain explicit statements regarding Armenia. The opposition will want to know why Great Britain's policy towards Armenia was foiled, the nature of the entente between Russia and Turkey and also why the difficulty with the United States regarding the arbitration of the Venezuelan boundary dispute has been prolonged.

Within the past month Liberal opinion has set strongly against Lord Salisbury's treatment of the Venezuelan question. In his address to the electors at Arbroath Thursday night Mr. John Morley, formerly chief secretary for Ireland in Mr. Gladstone's last administration, said that Lord Salisbury ought to know that he is playing with fire in replying to Secretary Olney, language bearing an interpretation of an attack on the Monroe Doctrine which the United States were resolute in upholding.

This criticism covers only a small part of the Liberal objections to the policy of the government. It is now asked every day by both Liberals and Unionists why it is that the government allows the trouble to drag on. Since Lord Salisbury's despatch to Secretary Olney and Mr. Cleveland's message to Congress united American feeling, three members of the cabinet, Hon. A. J. Balfour, first lord of the treasury, Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, and Sir Michael Hicks Beach, chancellor of the exchequer, have declared their approval of the Monroe doctrine.

While, so far as known, Lord Salisbury has taken no decisive diplomatic action to reconcile the Washington government or to get the dispute settled by proposing such arbitration as would find favor in the United States, a strong minority in Parliament will be found urging that there should be no delay in the settlement of the difficulty, and that Great Britain should not even wait for the report of the American high commission, but rather that she should restore at once the most friendly relations by some mode of arbitration akin to Mr. Morley's suggestion for the appointment of a commission to be composed of an equal number of representatives of the United States, Great Britain and Venezuela.

Lord Salisbury's vague acceptance in his speech last night of the Monroe Doctrine as president Monroe understood it, disappointed the country, which is waiting for a more explicit definition of the government's attitude. The legislative programme for the coming session, which was fixed at recent cabinet councils, contains no surprises. A bill will be introduced for the relief of the agricultural distress which will propose the transfer of two-thirds of the rates now borne by the farmers to the general taxpayers. This measure will meet with the fiercest opposition from the Liberals and some of the urban Conservatives. The government, however, has such a large majority that it is certain to make the bill a law.

Mr. Thomas Sexton remains the first favorite for the succession to Mr. Justin McCarthy, the leader of the anti-Parnellite section of the Irish parliamentary party, who it is announced will almost certainly retire from the leadership immediately upon the reconvening of Parliament. The question of who will be appointed Mr. McCarthy's successor will be discussed at a meeting of the party to be held in Dublin, but it will be finally decided in London after the House of Commons resumes its sittings.

The chances of the Hon. Edward Blake, the Canadian who sits for South Longford, being elected to lead the anti-Parnellites seem remote. According to Mr. John Bolton, a fellow of the Royal Geographical Society, Great Britain need have no fear of referring the Venezuelan boundary dispute to arbitration.

In a letter which he has written to the newspapers he says that he has seen and examined the Spanish and Dutch records and they prove the British claims fully. Mr. Bolton holds that the Schomburgk line is ill-defined and cannot be clearly identified, but the records he declares, confirm the British title to territory to the westward of that line. The representative of the United Press, in an interview with Sir Augustus Hemming, the newly appointed governor of British Guiana, asked whether the government had instructed him to make overtures to Venezuela directly for the settlement of the boundary trouble. He replied that he had received no instructions concerning the boundary question.

London Press Says Lord Dunraven Should Apologize.

London, Feb. 1.—The St. James Gazette, in an article under the caption, "A case for an apology" says the New York Yacht club has given Lord Dunraven a severe lesson in fairness and good manners. Lord Dunraven first insinuated and then published later, when it was difficult to verify or refute, an accusation of sordid fraud which an impartial and thorough inquiry shows to have been based upon the flimsiest of evidence.

If the accusation of unfair running of horses, now being examined by the jockey club, is found to have no better origin we doubt whether the club will confine itself to the use of the mild word "Mistaken." Lord Dunraven owes the New York Yacht club and American sportsmen generally a very ample amend. He owes it to his own reputation as a gentleman to apologize.

The Pall Mall Gazette says the charges made by Lord Dunraven have been courteously refuted, and expresses hope that the incident is now closed. "International contests between England and America," the Gazette says, "have led to such ill feeling that we are almost regretful that they should continue. We hope that all concerned will prevent any unfriendly feeling as the result of the visit of the Yale university crew, and then, perhaps, there may be another challenge for the America's cup."

The Westminister Gazette says: "Probably no one deplores Lord Dunraven's outbreak of temper more than Lord Dunraven himself."

The Globe says that Lord Dunraven was justified in making charges, though they have neither been proved or disproved. The Globe blames the original cup committee for the whole trouble and hopes that until there are reforms in the methods of American yacht racing England will not again challenge for the America's cup.

Work of Gomez' Followers.

Havana, Feb. 1.—It is reported that rebels had destroyed the telegraph line and damaged the railroad track south of Bejucal, a short distance south of Havana.

It is supposed to be the work of some of Gomez's followers. Acting Captain General Marin has left San Francisco De Los Baranos and gone in pursuit of them. No details are obtainable. Gen. Canellas had an engagement with the rebels on Thursday, but no details have been received.

R. A. M. CONDUCTOR

Dies of Apoplexy—Nearly Fifty Years in the Service.

BOSTON, Feb. 1. Elbridge G. Towle died suddenly of apoplexy last night at his residence in Charlestown. Mr. Towle was one of the best known conductors in the employ of the B. & M. R. R. and the oldest in point of service. He was born in Hampton, N. H., 72 years ago.

When he was in his 23d year he entered the employ of the railroad as brakeman. If he had lived and continued in the service of the road until next March he would have rounded out fifty years of service on the railroad. Three daughters and two sons survive.

HEAD END COLLISION

Between Passenger Express and Freight Train

Engineer of Passenger Train Killed and Conductor of Freight Missing

DECATUR, Ills., Feb. 1. [illegible] passenger express on the [illegible] head end collision late last [illegible] freight train at Oakley, [illegible] gineer Rose of the passenger killed and Conductor Wh[illegible] freight train is missing. The train was the regular [illegible] express for New York. None of the passengers [illegible] injured.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Present Prohibition Petitions

WASHINGTON, [illegible]

Senator Proctor of Vermont presented to the Senate a petition in the form of a memorial signed by the pastors of all the Methodist, congregational, Presbyterian and Christian churches in Vermont, signed also by a large number of Universalist, Episcopal, Baptist churches and Congregational churches. He also presented a petition signed by citizens of Vermont, of this district. Both of the petitions were referred to the committee on the revision of the laws. The first named asked the abolition of the liquor traffic.

There has been presented by Mr. Frye, of Maine, and by Mr. Pickler, of South Dakota, Armenian synod of the state W. C. T. U. of Maine and territories. The synod is formed in the Hennepin [illegible] Dr. Rankin, president [illegible] consisting of 28 [illegible] tion was prepared and [illegible] Chinta Smith, formerly [illegible] now president of the [illegible] T. U. in the [illegible]

Chapman Seeks [illegible]

Ellerson B. Chapman, [illegible] broker, [illegible] court of the District [illegible] fusing to assess [illegible] him by a Supreme [illegible] gation at [illegible] United States [illegible] stock, was this [illegible] sentence. The [illegible] for a [illegible] Chapman's [illegible] trials were [illegible] was [illegible] the action.

Resolutions Censuring Ambassador Bayard Adopted

A resolution [illegible] Bayard [illegible] him in his [illegible] adopted by the House [illegible] Committee this afternoon [illegible] tions were reported. [illegible] Mr. Bayard [illegible] posed by him in the Edinburgh speech [illegible] this was a [illegible] the disapproval of [illegible] representations [illegible] foreign policy affairs [illegible] sanship and the [illegible] cal parties [illegible] tions of American [illegible]

DIXON AND PALMER

Arrange a Fistic Battle to Take Place in London.

New York, Feb. 1. There is probability that George Dixon [illegible] lar Palmer, the English [illegible] may be signed [illegible] fight, probably to a finish [illegible] terms. Tom O'Rourke, [illegible] such a proposition, to which Mr. Sterling assented on behalf of Dixon. According to the above, the [illegible] will take place at the National Sporting Club of London, providing that [illegible] will offer a purse and a [illegible] $2,500 each will be [illegible] the men. The proposition [illegible] O'Rourke at what he [illegible] lowest possible fighting [illegible] pounds.

Sterling's [illegible] was [illegible] has not [illegible] certain to make the bill a law. He is willing to give the [illegible] make a match.

STOCK MARKET

Rather Weak, but Develops Strength After Opening

New York, Feb. 1.—Wall street, [illegible] m.—The weakness in the stock market this morning was short lived and after the opening, the whole list [illegible] strength. The decline at the start due to London selling and to [illegible] tations by bidders who fear [illegible] sale of the free silver amendment [illegible] bond bill will have a [illegible] security markets.

The selling, however, was [illegible] tant and the offerings were [illegible] sorbed. The particularly strong [illegible] were the Rangers, General Electric, Pressed Coal and Union Pacific. Industrials were less active [illegible] firm.

DISCUSSES REVENUE

Mr. Foster Makes Defence of Protection Tariff.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 1. In his speech last evening Mr. Foster said the revenue for the current year would amount to $37,000,000, and the future would also be about $37,000,000. During the current year, the public debt would be increased [illegible] 1896.

In the year 1886-87, Mr. [illegible] mated, the expenditure would be $38,000,000 and the revenue would equal this expenditure. He pointed to the rumors of trouble which existed [illegible] months ago between Great Britain and the United States and gave it as a good excuse for increased [illegible] on the militia. He then made a vigorate defence of the protective [illegible]

Sir Richard Cartwright replied. Foster and declared that [illegible] were tools in the hands of the promoters of combines who [illegible] pledges they made to the people [illegible] dictions made by himself and Mackenzie in 1878 against the policy [illegible] ten had been verified. He [illegible] statement of Mr. Foster that the [illegible] tion had increased our exports. If one item of exports, that of [illegible] effects, to the United States, amounted to $1,300,000, and was attributed to the result of [illegible] The national policy had driven [illegible] ers of household effects from Canada seek homes in the United States.

Sir Richard said the reform [illegible] cause of its advocacy of the revenue tariff, was the energy of the manufacturers. As to the expenditure of $38,000,000 was wholly unjustifiable. Canada was one of the worst governed countries under the sun. What Canada had [illegible] was to cut down its extravagance. He gave statistics to show that Canada [illegible] more prosperous under a revenue tariff than under the protective system. [illegible] every seven emigrants who came to this country, six of them found their way to the United States.

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A delicious mixture of these two best brands, selected and guaranteed by the old established firm of O'Donohue & Co., New York.

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Ask Your Druggist for a Free Copy of Munyon's Guide to Health and Cure Yourself With a 25-cent Bottle of Munyon's Remedies.

Isaac Curtis, the well-known cabinet maker, residing at 14 Cromwell street, Charleston, S. C., says: "I have been suffering for several months with general debility, accompanied with great lassitude. After using Munyon's Nerve Cure for a short time I have received fresh vigor, and feel as bright and lively as a cricket."

Mr. John L. Arnie, Jackson street, Tullahoma, Tenn., says: "I suffered tortures from rheumatism for years, and tried all kinds of doctors and medicines, and spent six months at Hot Springs without benefit. My joints were swollen and stiff, and I was all crippled up. Munyon's Rheumatism Cure made a complete cure."

R. D. Benoit, M. D., of Solomon, Kansas, says: "My kidneys were very sore and ached most of the time. The pain was severe when I stooped over, or lay on my back, and it was almost impossible to straighten up after sitting down. Three days after beginning Munyon's Kidney Cure and Bladder Cure I was relieved and since that time I have felt like a new man."

Munyon's Rheumatism Cure seldom fails to relieve in 1 to 3 hours, and cures in few days. Price, 25c.

Munyon's Dyspepsia Cure is guaranteed to cure all forms of indigestion and stomach troubles. Price, 25c.

Munyon's Catarrh Remedies positively cure. Price, 25c. each.

Munyon's Kidney Cure speedily cures pains in the back, loins or groins, and all forms of kidney disease. Price, 25c.

Munyon's Female Remedies are a boon to all women. Price, 25c.

Asthma Cure, with Asthma Herbs, $1.00.

Munyon's Nerve Cure stops nervousness, and builds up the system. Price, 25c.

Munyon's Headache Cure stops headache in three minutes. Price, 25c.

Munyon's Pile Ointment positively cures all forms of piles. Price, 25c.

Munyon's Blood Cure eradicates all impurities of the blood. Price, 25c.

Munyon's Vitalizer restores lost powers to weak men. Price, $1.00.

A separate cure for each disease. At all druggists, 25 cents a bottle.

Personal letters to Professor Munyon, 1505 Arch Street, Philadelphia, Pa., answered with free medical advice for any disease.

Home for Aged Men.

There will be a meeting of the Corporate and Associate Members of the Home for Aged Men FRIDAY, February 7th, at 3 o'clock P. M., in Room No. 2, City Hall.

The object of the meeting is to amend Article 3 of its Constitution, so as to require the several members of the association to pay an annual due, and also to provide that the person shall cease to be a member who fails to pay such due.

E. C. RYDER, Secretary.

Bangor, January 30th, 1896. jn30 eod4w

RAILROADS.

MAINE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

ARRANGEMENT OF TRAINS.

In Effect Dec. 22, 1895.

Until further notice, trains will leave Bangor as follows.

GOING EAST.

6.00 A.M.—For St. Stephen, Aroostook County, St. John and all points East of Bangor in Maine and the Provinces, with Pullman Car for Vanceboro.

7.00 A.M.—For Oldtown and all points on B. & A. R. R.

11.20 A.M.—For Oldtown and Milford.

12.45 P.M.—Mixed for Mattawamkeag.

3.35 P.M.—For Oldtown and B. & A. R. R. to Greenville.

5.05 P.M.—For Oldtown, Lincoln, Mattawamkeag and Houlton via B. & A. R. R.

7.30 P.M.—Night train for all points east of Bangor in Maine, and for Houlton, Woodstock, New Brunswick, St. John and Halifax. Sleeper to St. John.

GOING WEST.

7.15 A.M.—For all points West, connecting at Newport for Dover and Foxcroft, and Moosehead Lake, Burnham for Belfast, at Waterville for Oakland, Winthrop, Lewiston, Farmington, Phillips and Rangeley, at Portland for Montreal, and Chicago.

12.30 M.—Mixed, for Waterville and way stations, connecting at Burnham for Belfast.

2.40 P.M.—Flying Yankee, with through Parlor car running via Augusta, for Newport, Dexter, Dover and Foxcroft, Moosehead Lake, Belfast, Waterville, Augusta, Portland and Boston.

4.30 P.M.—For Dover and Foxcroft and Moosehead Lake via Dexter, and mixed from Newport for all stations as far as Waterville inclusive.

8.00 P.M.—Every Night for Portland and Boston via Augusta, connecting for Lewiston, and Sixth Pullman sleeping cars attached for Portland and Boston.

11.20 P.M.—Express for Portland and Boston. Pullman sleeping car attached for Portland and Boston.

BUCKSPORT BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor for Bucksport at 7.30 and 5.05 P.M. (mixed) 5.10 P.M. except Saturdays and Sundays and 7.00 P.M. Saturdays only. Arrive at Bucksport 8.30 and 9.30 A.M., 6.10 and 9.00 P.M. Leave Bucksport for Bangor at 6.00 A.M. and 12.45 and 2.00 P.M. Arrive in Bangor at 7.00 A.M., 1.15 and 4.40 P.M.

MT. DESERT BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor for Ellsworth and Bar Harbor at 6.50 and 7.05 A.M., and 5.00 P.M. Leave Ellsworth 8.10 and 9.30 A.M. and 3 P.M. Morning trains connect for Sullivan and Sorrento.

Trains leave Bar Harbor (steamer) at 10.45 A.M. and 3.30 P.M. Leave Mt. Desert Ferry at 11.30 A.M., 12.45 and 5.00 P.M. Leave Ellsworth 6.00 A.M., 1.40 and 5.35 P.M. Arrive in Bangor 8.40, 5.35 and 7.00 P.M.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

7.15 A.M.—For Portland, Augusta, Portland and Boston.

8.00 P.M.—For Portland and Boston via Augusta, connecting for Rockland, Bath and Lewiston. Pullman sleeping car attached.

ARRIVALS.

Through trains from the East arrive at 6.30 A.M., 12.30 (Yankee), and 11.10 P.M. From Green Ville 10.05 A.M., Houlton 1.20, and from all points on B. & A. R. R., 6.45 P.M. From Milford, 2.30 P.M. Mattawamkeag (mixed), 11.05 A.M.

From the West—Arrive from Boston and Portland, 4.50 A.M. (daily), and 4.50 and 6.30 P.M., and from Portland, 11.55 A.M. From Waterville, and from Dover and Foxcroft via Dexter, 9.12 and 11.55 A.M., Sunday, from Boston and Portland, 5.30 P.M. Sunday Paper train, 11.25 A.M.

NOTE.—Time of arrival and departure here given is that at Maine Central Depot; for Exchange Street depot a slight difference should be allowed.

Through tickets to all principal points East and by all routes are on sale at the Maine Central Ticket Office. For Pullman Berths or information call on or telephone A. W. Benson, Ticket Agent.

PAYSON TUCKER,
Vice President and General Manager.

F. E. BOOTHBY,
General Passenger and Ticket Agent.

Oct. 20, 1895. tf&w

Bangor & Aroostook R.R.

Pullman Buffet Parlor Car between Houlton and Bangor on trains leaving Houlton at 8.40 A.M. and Bangor at 5.05 P.M.

IN EFFECT MONDAY, JANUARY 6, 1896.

Until further notice trains will leave Bangor as follows:

7.00 A.M.—For and arriving at Lagrange at 8.32 A.M., Milo 8.46 A.M., Brownville 8.58 A.M., Katahdin Iron Works 9.40 A.M., Norcross 9.55 A.M., Sherman 10.08 A.M., Island Falls 11.22 A.M., Smyrna Mills 11.52 A.M., Weeksboro 12.26 P.M., Masardis 1.33 P.M., Ashland 2.05 P.M., Houlton 12.20 P.M., Presque Isle 2.05 P.M., Caribou 3.15 P.M., Fort Fairfield 3.35 P.M., Dover 9.20 A.M., Guilford 9.45 A.M., Monson Junction 10.05 A.M., Greenville 11.05 A.M.

3.55 P.M.—For and arriving at Lagrange 5.07 P.M., Dover 6.35 P.M., Guilford 7.00 P.M., Monson Jct. 7.18 P.M., Greenville 8.20 P.M. Milo 5.05 P.M.—For and arriving at Brownville 5.53 P.M., Norcross 7.47 P.M., Sherman 8.18 P.M., Island Falls 9.11 P.M., Houlton 10.15 P.M.

ARRIVALS.

10.00 A.M.—Leaving Greenville 6.05 A.M., Monson Junction 7.05 A.M., Guilford 7.22 A.M., Dover 7.41 A.M., Brownville 7.45 A.M., Milo 8.00 A.M., Lagrange 8.38 A.M.

1.20 P.M.—Leaving Caribou 6.30 A.M., Presque Isle 8.50 A.M., Fort Fairfield 9.30 A.M., Houlton 9.40 A.M., Ashland 8.45 A.M., Masardis 7.17 A.M., Weeksboro 8.25 A.M., Smyrna Mills 8.56 A.M., Island Falls 9.32 A.M., Sherman 9.55 A.M., Norcross 10.51 A.M., Katahdin Iron Works 9.55 A.M., Brownville 11.40 A.M.

6.40 P.M.—Leaving Greenville 3.35 P.M., Monson Junction 5.35 P.M., Guilford 5.55 P.M., Dover 6.15 P.M., Caribou 11.05 A.M., Presque Isle 11.35 A.M., Fort Fairfield 11.10 A.M., Houlton 1.30 P.M., Ashland 9.30 A.M., Masardis 10.55 A.M., Weeksboro 12.25 P.M., Smyrna Mills 1.15 P.M., Island Falls 2.14 P.M., Sherman 3.30 P.M., Norcross 3.45 P.M., Brownville 4.40 P.M., Milo 4.50 P.M., Lagrange 5.17 P.M.

GEO. M. HOUGHTON,
Gen'l Pass'r & Ticket Agent.

F. W. CRAM, Vice Pres't & Gen'l Mgr.

Bangor, Me., Jan. 1, 1896.

BREWER LOCALS.

Mr. Allston Stubbs, of Winterport, was in the city Saturday on a short trip.

Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott went to Belfast Saturday to spend Sunday with friends there.

The Christian Endeavor societies in the city held their monthly consecration meetings yesterday.

The regular monthly meeting of the city council will be held on Thursday evening of this week.

The coming of snow has started the hauling of bark, and a number of loaded teams pass to and through the city daily on the way to the tanneries.

The monthly missionary concert was held at the First Congregational vestry Sunday evening and a programme of much interest was carried out.

St. Valentine's Day comes next week and the stores will soon have their stocks of the various kinds of valentines, comic and sentimental, displayed to the view of customers.

The machinery of Messrs. E. H. & H. Rollins' planing and moulding mill is being thoroughly overhauled and repaired and the establishment will be in fine trim when it starts up.

Deluge Hose Co. has been presented with a handsome silk flag by a number of the friends of the members, in recognition of the good work done by the firemen during the past year.

Rev. H. L. Griffin, pastor of the Hammond Street Congregational church in Bangor, preached at the First Baptist church in this city, yesterday, and was heard by a large and interested congregation.

The supper and entertainment given at the chapel at South Brewer Friday evening for the purpose of raising money to provide for putting the public library at that end of the city in use again was very successful and about $40 was cleared. The event was given by the Young Ladies' Current Events Club and its members propose to obtain suitable quarters and use them for a library and reading room, which will be kept open two days each week, the young ladies taking turns in caring for it. The library contains about 700 volumes and includes an excellent selection of various kinds of literature and many quite valuable books. The movement is a very praiseworthy one and will result in much benefit.

Condensed Despatches.

The score in the woman's six day bicycle race in Chicago at midnight last night stood: Baldwin, 286; Farnsworth, 286; Anderson, 286; Christopher, 285; Glaw, 280; Allen, 280; Peterson, 268; Williams, 261; Miss Hoblinson, after reeling off 235 miles, quit the race.

A letter received in Boston Saturday says awful massacres have recently taken place in almost every town and city within the district covered by Eastern Turkey. On the 18 th of November there were slain at Aintab 1,500 persons. In Giurlum 1,000 Christians are said to have been massacred, while 200 little children where thrown into the river.

Wholesale Produce Market.

Corrected semi-weekly by the Grocers' Association.

SATURDAY, Feb. 1.

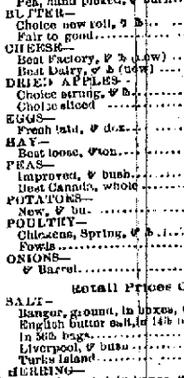
STATE LAW REGARDING WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

A bushel of Liverpool salt shall weigh 56 pounds, and a bushel of Turks island salt shall weigh 70 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of potatoes, in good order and fit for shipping, is 60 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of beans in good order and fit for shipping, is 62 pounds. Of wheat, beets, ruta bags turnips and peas, 60 pounds; of corn, 56 pounds; of onions, 52 pounds; of carrots, English turnips, rye, and Indian meal 50 pounds; of barley and buckwheat, 48 pounds; of oats, 32 pounds of even measure as by agreement.

Country Produce.	
BEANS—	
Improved Yellow Eye, ⅌ bush	1.50@1.60
Pea, hand picked, ⅌ bush	1.60@1.75
BUTTER—	
Choice new roll, ⅌ lb	18@20c
Fair to good	16@17c
CHEESE—	
Best Factory, ⅌ lb (new)	10@11c
Best Dairy, ⅌ lb (new)	10c
DRIED APPLES—	
Choice stringy, ⅌ lb	4@5c
Choice sliced	7@8c
EGGS—	
Fresh laid, ⅌ doz	16@17c
HAY—	
Best loose, ⅌ ton	7.00@9.00
PEAS—	
Improved, ⅌ bush	2.25
Best Canada, whole	1.10@1.25
POTATOES—	
New, ⅌ bu	30@35c
POULTRY—	
Chickens, Spring, ⅌ lb	15@20c
Fowls	00@00c
ONIONS—	
⅌ Barrel	1.75@2.00
Retail Prices Current.	
SALT—	
Bangor, ground, in boxes, ⅌ box	30c
English butter salt, in 14lb bags, ⅌ bag	25
In 56lb bags	75c
Liverpool, ⅌ bush	40
Turks Island	30
HERRING—	
English, scaled, in boxes, ⅌ box	25c
RAISINS—	
Loose Muscatels, ⅌ lb	17@22c
London layers	2@90c
Sultans	15@18c
CURRANTS—	
English, ⅌ lb	10@13
KEROSENE OIL—	
120 test, ⅌ gallon	5
100 test	
VINEGAR—	
Pure cider, ⅌ gallon	25@30c
Pure W. W.	30c
OATS	34c
FLOUR—	
Best Spring Roller, ⅌ barrel	4.25@4.50
Best St. Louis	4.00@4.25
Good family	3.00@4.00
CORN—	
Full weight	42c
CORN MEAL—	
50 lbs. to bushel	39c
COTTON SEED MEAL—	
In sacks of 100 lbs	1.20
SHORTS—	
St. Louis brand, in sacks	95
Spring Wheat, ⅌ hundred	90
MIDDLINGS—	
Fine, ⅌ hundred	1.00
Coarse	95
GLUTEN MEAL	1.15
FEED FLOUR	1.10
WHEAT	80c
Breadstuffs, Grain, etc.	
OATMEAL—	
Best Scotch, ⅌ lb	5c
Best Irish	5c
Best Canada	4c
RYE MEAL—⅌ lb	4c
GRAHAM FLOUR	4c
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR	5c
SUGAR—	
Granulated, ⅌ lb	5¾c
Extra	5¼c
PORK—	
Country clear, ⅌ lb	10c
Western	10c
LARD—	
Bulk, from tierces, ⅌ lb	10c
Home in pails	12c



Almost every man in America has some digestive trouble. When men meet, the greeting usually is "Well how are you?" That develops health talk. The man who has no stomach or bowel trouble is almost a curiosity. Trouble is men take no care of themselves. They work as if their bodies were made of iron and their brains of steel. They eat as if they had copper stomachs and bowels of brass. By and by overworked nature rebels. Then come headaches, nervousness, bad blood, liver and kidney troubles, health goes and strength goes. It is really wonderful how much abuse the human body will stand! It is equally wonderful how quickly it will recover from abuse if one helps in a rational, natural way.

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BRUTAL MURDER

Committed by a Resident of New Haven.

Neighbor Stands by and Witnesses the Butchery.

New Haven, Ct., Feb. 1.—The case of Thomas P. Kippie, who killed his wife Mary last night by stabbing, was in the city court this morning and was continued until next Thursday. Kippie was taken to jail. The investigation proves the murder to be one of the most brutal ever committed in this city. Dr. White found five distinct gashes in the woman's breast, any of which might have proved fatal. Detective McGrath this morning found the knife, a butcher blade eight inches long, in the yard where the tragedy took place. After the deed Kippie changed his clothes and walked out through a crowd of 300, not one of whom laid hands on him.

He jumped a fence and was disappearing when Tom Wrinn, son of Police Captain Wrinn, seized him and held him until assistance arrived. Young Wrinn is a high school boy of 17 years, and a tackle on his school foot ball eleven. John Hartmann, a neighbor, stood by and witnessed every thrust of Kippie into his wife's breast.

STEAMER ST. PAUL.

Wreckers Make Another Unsuccessful Attempt at Moving Her.

New York, Feb. 1.—Wreckers at work on the stranded steamer St. Paul were doomed to disappointment again this morning. The east wind which they had been wishing for had come but the big ship still resisted all efforts to get her off the beach. It was raining hard at Long Branch this morning and the wind blew from the northeast but the sea remained calm.

There was scarcely any surf to speak of. The usual preparations were made by the wreckers this morning to haul on the St. Paul. At 8.30 or about an hour and a half before high tide, two tug boats began hauling on the disabled vessel. The tugboats occupied the same position as they did yesterday. They pulled and tugged on the stern of the St. Paul but she stuck fast. The wreckers hope that the easterly wind will freshen up before the day is over and cause the sea to roll.

SENSATIONAL TURN

In Matter of City Treasurer Rollins' Defalcation.

OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 1. The matter of City Treasurer Rollins' defalcation took a sensational turn yesterday when he was arrested on the charge of embezzling $105,000, and simultaneously it was discovered that his bond for $800,000 as treasurer of the school board was missing. Comptroller Westberg says he has made a search of the records and files in his office, but he has been unable to find the bond.

LAWYER ARRESTED

Charged with Forging His Mother's Name to a Note.

BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 1. Col. Parry Lee Downes, a well known lawyer of this city and a member of the staff of ex-Governor Elihu E. Jackson, was arrested yesterday on the charge of forging his mother's name to a note for $2,400. He was subsequently released on bail.

TERRIBLE CRASH.

Thirty-Five Cars Go Through a Bridge.

WEISBERG, Ind., Feb. 1. A freight train went through a bridge twelve miles from here last night. Thirty-five cars went down. No train men were hurt, but some tramps are reported killed. The train broke into two sections which dashed together on the bridge.

FRIGHTFUL ACCIDENT.

Workman Falls on Saw and Both Legs are Cut off—He Dies Instantly.

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 1. Edward Wiggin, of East Weare, aged 41, while at work in a portable sawmill at Sutton, yesterday, accidentally slipped and fell on a saw carriage and both legs were cut off. He died almost instantly.

BUSINESS TROUBLES.

The Union Shoe Company of Chillicothe, Ohio, Assigns.

CHILLICOTHE, Ohio, Feb. 1. The Union Shoe Company, the largest plant in the city, has assigned. Hard times was the cause. Liabilities, $100,000; assets $50,000.

Waldoboro Firm Fails.

BOSTON, Feb. 1. The failure is announced here of the Evans, Bell and Clark Company shoe manufacturers at Waldoboro, Me. The liabilities are placed at $92,000 and the assets at $77,000. The creditors are largely Boston leather houses.

BURNED TO DEATH

By Setting Fire to Her Bed.

MARLBORO, Mass., Feb. 1. Mrs. George Fay, fifty years old, and bedridden, was burned to death yesterday afternoon in her home at Southboro. She set fire to her bed in some unknown manner.

BIG WATER PRIVILEGE

Purchased by Waterville and Fairfield Ry. Light and Power Co.

FAIRFIELD, Feb. 1. The Waterville and Fairfield Railway Light and Power Company has bought the big water privilege of S. A. Nye & Co.

POTATO HOUSES

Destroyed by Fire Near Canadian Pacific Station in Houlton.

HOULTON, Feb. 1. Fire at 3.30 this morning destroyed three potato houses near the Canadian Pacific station. One was owned by A. H. Fogg & Co., containing a quantity of salt; loss $100, no insurance. One was owned by C. B. Foster, of Boston, in which Woodford Ketchum had three hundred barrels of potatoes, and William Dobson had several hundred barrels, both parties carrying some insurance on the stock. The building was not insured. One was owned by E. Merritt & Sons. Loss $200; no insurance. The fire originated in the Foster building, probably from a stove.

PENSIONS GRANTED.

Additional to Residents of Maine.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1. The following pensions have been granted to residents of Maine:

Increase, Horace W. Butler, Gardiner; Jeremy W. Spear, New Portland. Original, widows, etc., Mary A. Coffin, Bath.

Everybody Was Quiet.

Back in the seventies a report reached army headquarters that the Indians had swarmed down on a little village in Idaho and murdered every inhabitant. A second lieutenant who had just received his commission was dispatched to the scene to ascertain the authenticity of the rumor. A few hours after his arrival in the village he sent this dispatch to the commanding officer:

"Everybody is quiet here."

Whereupon the commanding officer replied:

"Your report is unintelligible. We have it from responsible source that Indians have massacred every inhabitant."

The lieutenant answered:

"Report is correct. Everybody has been massacred. Everybody is quiet."—New York Journal.

The Origin of "Stoughton Bottle."

Did it ever occur to you to wonder where the expression "Stoughton bottle" came from? Senator Palmer used it the last time I saw him and I asked him about it.

"Why," said he, "it comes from a certain Stoughton's bitters that used to be very popular when I was a boy. Stoughton's bitters was a sort of table sauce, very weak and tasteless, and really useless. So when anybody stood around as useless as a bottle of Stoughton's bitters on a dinner table people got to saying that he was a Stoughton bottle, until as an expression for general shiftlessness it came to be an accepted term."—Washington Post.

MAINE MELANGE.

Pittsfield to Have a New Universalist Church.

Launchings in Bath—Other Matters of Interest.

Androscoggin.

The new hall of Norland Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, No. 310, was dedicated Thursday at East Livermore. Hon. W. W. Stetson was dedicatory officer and Hons. Z. A. Gilbert and C. Knapp delivered fine addresses. About three hundred were in attendance.

"Well," said Mr. S. R. B. Pingree, of Lewiston, Wednesday evening, as he stood in the blaze of his $75,000 bonfire, "We have the satisfaction of saying that we have furnished at our own expense two of the best fires to look at that Lewiston has ever seen."

Rev. H. R. Rose, of Auburn, has informed his parish committee, much to their satisfaction, that he will not accept a call to one of our large cities, previously referred to.

A Lewiston exchange says: Many of our citizens, as they viewed the floods poured upon the fire from the water mains, felt to bless the memory of the late Mayor William H. Stevens, for his persistence in securing the reservoir rather than the Holly system of water works. Superintendent Lunt says the pumps were kept running while the fire was progressing and the reservoir was kept full all the time. "If this fire had occurred before the recent improvements at the pumping station, however," said he, "it might have been vastly different." One of our citizens, conversant in such matters, who has been in many cities of the West in the past few years, remarked that now that he had visited had water works that would begin to compare with those of Lewiston.

Aroostook.

Presque Isle *Star Herald*: In the course of his labor upon the catalogue for the Presque Isle Library comprising over 1,000 volumes, our foreman notes that the name of Smith appears only twice in the list of authors. This would seem to indicate that the Smith family are not largely in evidence in the line of literature. The trouble may be that the Smiths, while they possess tastes and gifts in this direction, allow them to be subordinated by other pursuits they engage in.

The B. & A. passenger train, on its way to Caribou and when about four miles out of Presque Isle village, killed a horse Wednesday afternoon. The animal was coming up from the river, when discovered by the engineer, and at the speed he was traveling would just about place himself on the track in front of the engine. To avoid this, the engineer put on more steam and succeeded in getting by the horse. The animal, however, unable or unwilling to check his speed, and, possibly, tired of life, struck the tender of the engine and fell to the ground with a broken neck.

The Caribou Electric Light and Water Company has received a new dynamo of 1,000 light capacity. The old dynamo, 500-light capacity, will be taken out and replaced by the new one. This change will improve the lights as the old dynamo has been overloaded for some time past.

Cumberland.

This report comes from Portland: "Dry goods men and jewelers complain of the practice of well known people who borrow their goods to wear at various functions. This practice is by no means a novelty in Portland, and it is surprising to find that representative people are among the violators of decency. "Send these to the house and I'll look them over," says the customer, and the merchant often has the pleasure of seeing his customers parading in borrowed plumery, which he knows will be returned next day."

Kennebec.

Waterville *Mail*: We were shown the other day by Prof. E. W. Hall of Colby, what is believed to be the oldest "false order," in the list of the many that have been issued by one class at Colby at the expense of another. It was on the class of 1893, and the programme given was a very decent affair, following closely in general arrangement the order of exercises at commencement time in the early days of the college. One of the names down on the list of speakers was that of Ben Butler, who was to discourse on the general subject of getting "ducked" by the squirt guns of upper class men. The only survivor of the men whose names were given on the programme is Moses J. Kelley.

The Kennebec *Journal* reports that Ernest A. Fickett, of Monmouth, has been sued by Charles Sanborn for $5,000 for defamation of character. It appears that Sanborn was hired by Fickett as clerk in the latter's grocery store, to stay one year. Fickett is said to claim that the cash register has not been coming out right, and to implicate Sanborn as the one who has been tampering with it. So about three weeks ago, Sanborn was informed that his services were no longer needed, the above charges being preferred against him. When the officer went to serve the writ and attach his stock, Fickett said the stock did not belong to him. The officer returned, obtained a warrant for his arrest and Fickett was placed under $5,000 bonds for his appearance at the next term of court.

Knox.

Last week very high and very low tides prevailed. Thursday evening the steamers Penobscot and Catherine were both aground at Tillson's wharf, at Rockland, and the Penobscot had quite a hard time getting away for Boston. The deeper water is at the south side of the end of the wharf but she could not back out that way as the Catherine proved an immovable obstruction. She was finally forced around and went out by the northern channel.

Sagadahoc.

There were two launchings at Bath Thursday forenoon. From the yard of Hon. William Rogers was slid overboard the four-masted barge Jersey Belle, built for the coal carrying trade and owned by William H. Besse, of New Bedford. The dimensions of the craft are: Length 230 feet, breadth 42 feet, depth 18 feet. Total tonnage 1,350.70, net 1,273.96. The barge is equipped with a Hyde windlass and steam hoister built at the Bath Iron Works. She is rigged and ready for sea and left Thursday night in tow for New York. The other vessel was a three-masted single deck schooner of the centerboard type from the yard of Kelley, Spear & Co., named the Edward Smith, owned by E. C. Smith & Co., of New York, and valued at $28,000. The schooner has a length of 148 feet, breadth 35 feet, depth 10½ feet. Gross tonnage 440.00, net 358.16. The Edward Smith makes the fiftieth vessel built and launched by Kelley, Spear & Co. These two launchings make four vessels that have been launched in Bath this month, with a total tonnage of nearly 4,000.

Somerset.

A movement is on foot to build a new Universalist church in Pittsfield which is likely to materialize before very long. The old structure, which was the original church structure in the village, has seen its best days and is hardly up to the modern standard, as placed by the neighboring societies, says the *Advertiser*.

Beecham's pills for constipation 10c and 25c. Get the book at your druggist's and go by it.

Annual sale is more than 6,000,000 boxes.

When B. was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

THE COMING MAN

Is the gentleman who goes to the Keeley Cure and has his system cleansed and purified and restored to a healthful condition, thereby preparing himself to fill important positions in the busy marts of the world. The Keeley treatment as administered at Deering, Maine, has resulted in many men procuring lucrative and honorable positions, hence this is a very valuable consideration to those contemplating taking the cure. novl

Hood's Sarsaparilla taken at this season, will make you feel strong and vigorous and keep you from sickness later on.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

A SET OF ROGUES.

By FRANK BARRETT.

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CHAPTER XXVI.

Dec. 14.—Dawson left us this morning. In parting Mr. Godwin graciously begged him to come to his wedding feast on Christmas day—they having fixed upon Christmas eve to be married—and Dawson promised he would, but he did assure me afterward, as we were walking along the road to meet the stage wagon, that he would certainly feign some reason for not coming. "For," says he, "I am not so foolhardy as to jeopardize my Moll's happiness for the pleasure this feast would give me. Nay, Kit, I do think 'twould break my heart indeed if anything of my doing should mar my Moll's happiness." And I was very well pleased to find him in this humor, promising him that we would make amends for his abstinence on this occasion by cracking many a bottle to Moll's joy when we could come together again secretly at my house. In the afternoon Mr. Pearson's clerk brought the deed of agreement for the settlement of the estate upon Moll and Mr. Godwin, which they signed, and so that is finished as we would have it. This clerk tells me his master hath already gone to London about getting the seal. So all things look mighty prosperous.

Dec. 17.—Fearing to displease Sir Peter Lely by longer delay, Mr. Godwin set out for Hatfield Tuesday, we—that is, Moll, Don Sanchez and I—going with him as far as the borough, where Moll had a thousand things to buy against her wedding. And here we found great activity of commerce and many shops filled with excellent good goods—more than ever there were before the great fire drove out so many tradesmen from the city. Here Moll spends her money royally, buying whatever catches her eye that is rich and beautiful, not only for her own personal adornment, but for the embellishment of her house (as hangings, damasks, toys, etc.), yet always with a consideration of Mr. Godwin's taste, so that I think she would not buy a pair of stockings but she must ask herself whether he would admire 'em. And the more she had the more eager she grew to have, buying by candlelight, which was an imprudence, and making no sort of bargain, but giving all the shopkeepers asked for their wares, which, to be sure, was another piece of recklessness. This business seemed to me the most wearisome in the world, but it served only to increase her energies, and she would not be persuaded to desist until, the shops closing, she could lay out no more money that night. Supped very well, but mighty late, at the Tabard inn, where we lay all night. And the next morning, Moll's fever still abated, we set out again a-shopping, and no rest until we caught the stage, and that by a miracle, at 4, and so home, dead beat.

Dec. 18.—Moll mad all day because the carrier hath brought but half her purchases, and they not what she wanted. By the evening wagon come three seamstresses she engaged yesterday morning, and they are to stay in the house till all is finished, but as yet nothing for them to do, which is less grievous to them than to poor Moll, who, I believe, would set them working all night for fear she shall not be fitted against her wedding.

Dec. 19.—Thank God, the carrier brought all our packages this morning, and they being all undone and laid out there is no sitting down anywhere with comfort, but all confusion, and no regularity anywhere, so I was content to get my meals in the kitchen the best I could. And here I do perceive the wisdom of Don Sanchez, who did not return with us from London, and does intend (he told me) to stay there till the wedding eve.

Dec. 20.—Moll, bit by a new maggot, tells me this morning she will have a great feast on Christmas day, and bids me order matters accordingly. She will have a whole ox roasted before the house by midday, and barrels of strong ale set up, that there may be meat and drink for all who choose to take it, and at 4 she will have a supper of geese, turkeys and plum puddings for all her tenants, their wives and sweethearts, with fiddles afterward for dancing, etc. Lord knows how we shall come out of this madness, but I have got the innkeeper, a busy, capable man, to help me, and he does assure me all will go well enough, and I pray he be right.

Dec. 21.—Sick with fears that all must end ill. For the place is a very babel for tradesmen and work people bringing in goods, and knowing not where to set them, servants hurrying this way and that, one charged with a dozen geese, another with silk petticoats, jostling each other, laughing, quarreling, and no sort of progress, at it seems, anywhere, but all tumult and disorder.

Dec. 22.—Could not sleep a wink all last night for casting up accounts of all this feasting and finery will cost us, and finding it must eat up all that money we had of poor Mr. Goodman, and make a deep hole in our quarter's rents besides. I fell a-speculating whether our tenants would pay me with the same punctuality they have used to pay old Simon, with grievous fears to the contrary. For assuredly Simon hath not been idle these past days, and will do us an ill turn if he can by throwing doubts before these same tenants whether they should pay or not before Moll's succession is made sure.

And I have good reason to fear they will not, for I observed yesterday when I called upon Farmer Giles to invite him to our feast he seemed very jerky and ill at ease, which perplexed me greatly, until, on quitting, I perceived through a door that stood ajar old Simon seated in a side room. And 'tis but natural that if they find prudent excuse for withholding their rents they will keep their money in pocket, which will pinch us smartly when our bills come to be paid. Yet I conceived that this feast would incline our tenants to regard us kindly; but, on the other hand, thinks I, supposing they regard this as a snare, and do avoid us altogether! Then shall we be nipped another way, for, having no one to eat our feast but a few idle rogues, who would get beef and ale for nothing, we shall but lay ourselves open to mockery and get further into discredit. Thus, betwixt one fear and another, I lay like a toad under a harrow all night in a mortal sweat and perturbation of spirit.

Nor has this day done much to allay my apprehension. For at the court all is still at sixes and sevens, none of a very cheerful spirit, but all mighty mutious, save Moll, who throughout has kept a high, bold spirit. And she does declare they will work all night but everything shall be in its place before her lover comes tomorrow. And truly I pray they may, but do think they will not. For such a mighty business as this should have been begun a full month back. But she will not endure me in the house (though God knows I am as willing as any to help), saying that I do hinder all, and damp their spirit for work with my gloomy countenance, which is no more than the truth, I fear. The sky very overcast, with wind in the south, and the air very muggy, mild and close, so that I do apprehend our geese will be all stinking before they are eat. And if it pour of rain on Christmas day how will the ox be roast, and what sort of company can we expect? This puts me to another taking, for dread of a new fiasco.

Dec. 23.—Going to the court about midday, I was dumfounded to find no sign of the disorder that prevailed there yesterday, but all swept and garnished, and Moll in a brave new gown, seated at her fireside, reading a book with the utmost tranquillity, though I suspect she did assume something in this to increase my astonishment. She was largely diverted by my amazement, and made very light of her achievement, but she admitted that all had worked till daybreak, and she had slept but two hours since. Nevertheless no one could have looked fresher and brighter than she, so healthy and vigorous were her natural parts. About 1 comes Mr. Godwin to cap her happiness and give fresh glory to her beauty. And sure a handsomer or better mated couple never was, Mr. Godwin's shapely figure being now set off to advantage by a very noble clothing, as becoming his condition. With him came also by the morning stage Don Sanchez, mighty fine in a new beard, of the latest mode, and a figured silk coat and waistcoat. And seeing the brave show they made at table, I was much humbled to think I had gone to no expense in this particular. But I was yet more mortified when Don Sanchez presents Moll with a handsome set of jewels for a wedding gift, to see that I had nothing in the world to offer her, having as yet taken not a penny of her money, save for the use of others and my bare necessities. Moll, however, was too full of happiness to note this omission on my part; she could think of no one now but her dear husband, and I counted for nothing.

However, this little chagrin was no more than a little cloud on a summer's day, which harms no one and is quickly dispelled by generous heat, and the tender affection of these two for each other did impart a glow of happiness to my heart. 'Tis strange to think how all things tonight look bright and hopeful, which yesterday were gloomy and awesome. Even the weather hath changed to keep in harmony with our condition. A fresh wind sprang up from the north this morning, and tonight every star shines out sharp and clear through the frosty air, promising well for tomorrow and our Christmas feast. And smelling of the geese, I do now find them all as sweet as nuts, which contents me mightily, and so I shall go to bed this night blessing God for all things.

Dec. 24.—Now this

Trust What Time Has Endorsed

There is not a medicine in use to day which possesses the confidence of the public to so great an extent as JOHNSON'S ANODYNE LINIMENT. For more than eighty years it has stood upon its own intrinsic worth and merit, while generation after generation have used it and transmitted the knowledge of its excellence to their children as a valuable inheritance. The best evidence of its extraordinary value is the fact that in the State where it originated it is still the leading family medicine. The sale there is steadily increasing.

It is over sixty years since I first learned of this celebrated medicine for the common ills of mankind—Johnson's Anodyne Liniment—and for more than forty years I have used it in my family. I think it is due the public for me to say—and do so by—that I regard it one of the best and safest remedies that can be found. I have used it in my family for sprains, coughs, colds, lame back, and consider it the best Liniment in use for all purposes recommended. JABEZ KNOWLTON, Newburgh, Me.

This certifies that Dr. A. Johnson, whose name is signed to every genuine bottle of Johnson's Anodyne Liniment, to the mouth of me, is the first left at my store some of the same. I have supplied my customers with it ever since, (over fifty years) with increasing sales. I have used it in my family for sprains, coughs, colds, lame back, and consider it the best Liniment in use for all purposes recommended. JABEZ KNOWLTON, Newburgh, Me.

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Johnson's Anodyne Liniment.

Every Mother should have it in the house, suffering children love it. It produces an increase of vital activity in the system, and thus cures disease. Its electric energy everlastingly eradicates inflammation without irritation.

I have used your Johnson's Anodyne Liniment for more than fifty years in my family and find it good for colics, coughs, sore throat, strains, cramps, sore stomach, rheumatism, bruises, etc., toothache, neuralgia etc., and have found it always good every way. I would not be my house be without it. I have used it years for Johnson's Liniment, since my family remedy. CHARLES CLEANS, South Robinston, Me.

I suppose I am the oldest Johnson's Anodyne Liniment customer in this region, having bought of Dr. Johnson himself for years, commencing in 1827, and have sold and used it since. CYR. H. ERICKSON, North Leeds, Maine.

My grandchildren and great grandchildren (which are numerous) continue to use it to this day. It is wonderful that I can write and read at the age of almost ninety two. Mrs. WEASTEY L. TUCKER, E. Corinth, Me.

The Doctor's Signature and Directions are on every bottle.

If you can't get it at first, don't give up, but persist a little longer. Price 25 cts. six doses. Sold by druggists. Pamphlet free. I. S. JOHNSON & CO., 22 Custom House Street, Boston, Mass., Sole Proprietors.

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ACCOUNTS AND CLAIMS

Against the City.

The Committee on Accounts and Claims of the City Government will be in session on the first Tuesday in each month at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of auditing bills against the city. All bills must be approved by the Officer and Committee of the Department contracting the same, and handed to the Committee on Accounts and Claims or City Clerk, on or before the above-stated time of meeting.

CHARLES H. GLASS, Chairman.

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H. O. MILLER.

To the Holders of Policies of the Orient Insurance Company:

We desire to notify you that we have purchased from the estate of the late D. M. Howard, the Bangor agency business of said company, and having been appointed Agents and empowered to transact all business in connection with existing policies, we would respectfully solicit the renewal of same.

MASON & PALMER.

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ORDINANCE.

The following ordinance was passed by the City Council of Bangor, on the 14th day of January, 1896, viz.:—

Section 2 of chapter 50 of the city ordinances, entitled "Weighers and Gangers," is hereby amended by adding thereto the following words: "No weight or measurement, for large or outs, of any vessel or vehicle or article, shall be used at any subsequent weighing or measuring as a basis for estimating the tare and outs. No weighing or measuring of any article for sale shall be on in until after a sale has been actually made."

Attest, VICTOR BRETT, City Clerk.

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OF NEW YORK, N. Y.

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EUGENE H. WINSLOW, Pres.

S. WM. BURTON, Secy.

Capital paid up in cash $150,000.00.

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1895.

Real estate unincumbered	$150,000 00
Stocks and bonds, market value	212,071 50
Cash in office and in bank	38,557 76
Interest due and accrued	488 33
Premiums in due course of collection	45,016 50
Plate glass on hand to replace losses	1,477 18
Accounts due for glass sold	149 12
Aggregate of all the admitted assets of the company at their actual value	$449,906 39

LIABILITIES, DECEMBER 31, 1895.

Net amount of unpaid losses and claims	2,000 00
Amount required to safely reinsure all outstanding risks	132,750 38
All other demands, viz.: commissions, etc	17,261 06
Total liabilities, except capital stock and net surplus	152,020 44
Capital actually paid up in cash	150,000 00
Surplus beyond capital	147,885 95
Aggregate amount of liabilities including net surplus	$449,906 39

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REAL ESTATE

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Stated Conclave.

A Stated Conclave of St. John's Commandery will be opened at its asylum,

Monday Eve., Feb. 3, at 7.30 o'clock.

By order, WM. Z. CLAYTON, Com.

JOHN H. STONE, Recorder. feb3

INSURANCE.

ABSTRACT OF THE ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE

ÆTNA INSURANCE CO.,

Incorporated 1819. Commenced business, 1819

WM. B. CLARK, President. W. H. KING, Secretary.

Capital paid up in Cash, $4,000,000.00.

ASSETS, DECEMBER 31, 1895.

Real Estate owned by the Company, unincumbered	$200,000 00
Loans on Bond and Mortgage (first liens)	35,000 00
Stocks and bonds owned by the company, market value	9,527,068 00
Loans secured by collaterals	5,000 00
Cash in the Company's principal office and in bank	752,512 97
Interest due and accrued	637 95
Premiums in the course of collection	634,044 96
Aggregate of all the admitted assets of the Company at their actual value	$11,054,613 88

LIABILITIES, DECEMBER 31, 1895.

Net amount of unpaid losses and claims	303,575 10
Amount required to safely re-insure all outstanding risks	3,177,890 78
All other demands against the Company, viz.: commissions, etc	166,170 81
Total amount of liabilities except capital stock and net surplus	3,642,636 78
Capital actually paid up in cash	4,000,000 00
Surplus beyond capital	3,412,962 10
Aggregate amount of liabilities, including net surplus	$11,055,513 88

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102d ANNUAL STATEMENT

The Insurance Company of the State of Pennsylvania,

OF PHILADELPHIA.

Incorporated in 1794. Commenced business in 1799.

GEORGE G. CROWELL, President. Secretary, A. B. EARLE.

Capital paid up in cash, $300,000.

ASSETS DECEMBER 31, 1895.

Real estate owned by the company, unincumbered	$390,905 38
Loans on bond and mortgage (first liens)	66,250 00
Stocks and bonds owned by the company, market value	188,126 83
Cash in the company's principal office and in bank and banks or managers and agents	76,557 86
Interest due and accrued	4,011 91
Premiums in due course of collection	57,813 57
Rents accrued, less reliance, salvages, etc	30,476 45
Aggregate of all the admitted assets of the company at their actual value	$750,535 80

LIABILITIES DECEMBER 31, 1895.

Net amount of unpaid losses and claims	21,093 75
Amount required to safely reinsure all outstanding risks	388,408 32
All other demands against the company, viz., commissions, etc.	52,272 95
Total amount of liabilities, except capital stock and net surplus	460,172 12
Capital actually paid up in cash	200,000 00
Surplus beyond capital	90,363 78
Aggregate amount of liabilities, including net surplus	750,535 90

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LOCAL MATTERS.

The days are rapidly growing longer and artificial light is not needed until some time later than a few weeks ago.

The semi-annual meeting of the Rhetorical Society of the Theological Seminary will be held in Hammond street church to-morrow evening at 7.30.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Davidson, of Fort Fairfield, are soon to move to this city to reside in the future. Mr. Davidson has accepted a position with N. H. Bragg & Sons as traveling salesman.

Morse & Co. have the plans in hand for the interior finish of nine fine summer homes, being built at Bar Harbor and other places on the Maine coast. They do a big business in this line.

Yesterday was the 12th anniversary of the death of Wendell Phillips. His obsequies at Faneuil Hall, Boson, are remembered as among the most impressive events occurring in the history of that structure.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bangor Boom Company will held at the office of the Sterns Lumber Company today at 2 30 o'clock P. M., for the choice of officers and any other business that may come before them.

The February criminal term of the Supreme Judicial Court will convene tomorrow when the grand jury will be empanelled. It is probable that the grand jury will be in session all the week. Traverse jurors will not report until Tuesday, February 11th.

The United Workers of the Hammond street church are to establish day nurseries for children, whose mothers are able to go out to work. The nurseries will be located with Mrs. McCurdy on Court street and the children will have excellent care.

Mrs. W. L. Bragg sang at the meeting at the King's Daughters' Home yesterday afternoon in a most enjoyable manner. These meetings are very interesting and profitable. Dorcas Circle of King's Daughters will have charge of the Sunday afternoon services this month.

Mr. Murphy, the temperance worker and speaker, is to come to Bangor for a series of meetings and the delegates appointed by the churches and temperance organizations when his visit was first announced, will meet at the Y. M. C. A. this evening at 7.30. A full attendance is earnestly desired.

A draft for $3,000 from the Imperial Council of the United Friends has been received by Treasurer E. G. York for the heirs of the late F. C. Morrill. Under the new law of the order the beneficiaries of the late Elijah Smith and Mrs. Otis Gray were paid 10 per cent. of their insurance in the order some weeks since and the balance will be paid later.

Beginning to-day the fifteen minute service on the Bangor street railway will be given until 8.30 P. M., after which cars will be run every 30 minutes, leaving on the hour and half hour until 10.30 P. M., except on Saturday and Sunday evenings, when the fifteen minute service will continue until 11 P. M. on Saturdays and 10.30 P. M. on Sundays. Opera House cars will run as usual.

The funeral services of the late Mr. Lorenzo A. Bowler were held Saturday afternoon at his late residence on Ohio street and there was a large attendance of friends of the deceased. Rev. E. F. Pember, pastor of the Universalist church, officiated and the Apollo Quartette sang several appropriate selections. Mr. Abel Hunt had charge of the funeral arrangements. The interment was at Mt. Hope.

A general change in the immigrant inspectors has recently been made and Mr. Harry Heath, Jr., of Richmond, Va., who has been stationed at Vanceboro for several months, goes on the boats between Eastport and St. John. Mr. Campbell, who has had that station, goes to Washington, D. C. Mr. W. W. Stamper, of Louisville, Kentucky, who has been stationed at Vanceboro for nearly two years, goes to Detroit, Mich., and Mr. Cornelius Cunningham, of Indianapolis, has taken his place.

Mr. John H. Lowell, one of Hallowell's most prominent business men, died at his residence Friday afternoon of angina pectoris. He had been ill for some time but it was thought that he would recover, therefore his death was unexpected. Mr. Lowell was born in Hallowell in 1828 and had always lived there. He had been in the grocery business since the war. He leaves a widow and four children, one of whom is W. H. Lowell, proprietor of the Evans House, Gardiner, and formerly of Bangor.

The faithful horse, Old Jim, which has been attached to the central fire station on Harlow street for many years, has been placed on the retired list for good. He was once one of the best horses ever in the fire department. On account of his long years of service the Fire Commissioners decided that he had well earned a rest and he is now occupying his comfortable quarters. In the place of Old Jim, the Fire Commissioners have purchased a fine horse, and he is breaking in well. The horse which has taken Old Jim's place is a roan weighing close to 1,400 pounds.

The announcement of the death of Miss Eliza A. Lincomb which occurred Saturday will be received with sorrow by many in this city and elsewhere. Miss Lincomb was for many years a nurse and was held in high esteem for qualities of efficiency and sociability which caused her to be greatly liked by all with whom she came in contact. She reached the advanced age of 84 years, 3 months and 4 days. Miss Lincomb was a member of the First Baptist church. The funeral services will be held to-day at 10.30 A. M. at the residence of Mr. B. S. Hussey, No. 6 Adams street.

The annual meeting of the Penobscot Log Driving Company for the choice of officers and the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting will be held at the Penobscot Exchange, on Tuesday, the eleventh day of February, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. At the meeting the company will determine whether the drive on the West Branch this year shall be made by the company or let at auction. If the company decides to let the drive the directors of the company will put the same up at auction at the office of the treasurer, on the day of the meeting at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

William Welch and Harry Tremble were arrested Saturday afternoon by Officer Knolde for the larceny of four pairs of moccasins, three by Welch and one by Tremble, from Buck's factory on Exchange street. The theft was committed on Wednesday. One of them went into the shop about 1 P. M. and stole one pair and at 5 P. M. both of them made another call and took three pairs away with them. Each put on a pair and Tremble took the other two pairs home. The moccasins were stitched in a peculiar manner in front and when the officer found the boys on the street he had no difficulty in finding the moccasins. The boys were before the Municipal Court later and Welch was sentenced to the Reform School during his minority or three months in jail and Tremble was sentenced to the House of Correction for 30 days and to pay the costs.

If it's sciatica, bathe with Johnson's Anodyne Liniment, pressing the muscles and nerves hard.

The ice track above the water works is in good shape. It is a mile long.

General Passenger Agent F. E. Boothby, of the Maine Central, is in New York attending the convention of general passenger agents of America.

Chief of Police L. W. Gilman goes to Cape Elizabeth to-day in charge of William Welsh, who has been sentenced to the Reform School during his minority.

The men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. building yesterday afternoon was another of those profitable gatherings. Rev. J. M. Frost was the speaker and he made some very interesting remarks. Miss Etta Henry, the soloist, sang very pleasingly.

At the annual meeting of the Central Maine Theological Circle held in Waterville last week the following officers were chosen: Rev. J. M. Wyman, Augusta, president; Rev. W. C. Stetson, Vassalboro, vice president; Rev. A. E. Kingsley, Bangor, secretary and treasurer.

Deputy Sheriff C. C. Nichols, of Dover, it is reported, has brought suit against Freeland J. Gerry, of Garland, for alleged slander and a $10,000 attachment has been placed upon Mr. Gerry's real estate. The difficulty came about in connection with their creamery business.

The High School Junior exhibition will occur in City Hall on the evening of February 7th and the occasion will be one of much interest. The scholars have been preparing for it for some time and the participants will be heard to excellent advantage in the declamations and other features of the programme.

Mr. James McNulty died yesterday at his residence in this city from the results of a shock experienced not long ago. He had been employed in the Collect file factory many years and had been a member of the Bangor Band during the past fifteen years. His age was 42 years. He leaves a mother, two brothers and three sisters, who will have the sympathy of many friends in their loss.

Quite a large number of the Bangor Knights of Columbus went to Winterport yesterday, accompanied by delegates from Portland and Lewiston, to install the new Mt. Waldo council in that town. This council includes twenty-four young men of Bucksport, Frankfort and Winterport. It was installed by the Bangor knights and the visiting delegates completed the work of the occasion.

The employes of the Maine Central are busily engaged in making preparations for their annual ball which will be held at the Portland City Hall, February 14, and all indications point to an unusually successful event. An excellent entertainment consisting of character sketches and a vaudeville performance will be given before the dancing commences. One man reports 195 tickets already sold through his own efforts.

The meeting in behalf of "Prison Reform" and the "Reformatory Prison for Women," next Friday evening at Y. M. C. A. Hall, is expected to be addressed by Mrs. L. M. N. Stevens, who will present the work already done by the State union and by several of our own citizens who are interested in promoting the progress of our State in philanthropy and needed reforms. Among the speakers expected are Hon. William Engel, Rev. H. E. Foss, Dr. D. A. Robinson; Secretary R. A. Jordan and others, including some of the philanthropic women who have made themselves acquainted with the interior of jails and prisons and with the needs of their inmates.

THE TEMPERATURE.

Atmospheric Conditions as Shown by Methodical Observations.

The following table gives the weather conditions as shown by the thermometer and barometer at Miller's Pharmacy:

	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Hygrometer.
Feb. 1, 7 A. M.	30.1	28	65
12 M.	29.9	27	75
6 P. M.	29.6	31	68
Feb. 2, 9 A. M.	29.3	30	73
12 M.	29.4	29	58
6 P. M.	29.5	21	60

A Pleasant Time.

The "Gypsies," who took part in the "Parada," and their chaperones, enjoyed a pleasant ride to East Eddington Friday evening. The first part of the evening was spent in sliding on the new toboggan slide. Dancing then followed at the town hall until twelve, when they left the hall for the delightful and noisy ride home. They wish to express their thanks to Mrs. Merrill for the kind hospitality shown them. Any one who wants a good time should try the new toboggan slide at Eddington, they say.

Skating and Dancing.

The roller skating at The Norombega and the skating and dancing in the evening, Saturday, were participated in by a large number. Hall's orchestra furnished good music for the occasion. Tomorrow a similar programme will be carried out with skating in the afternoon and skating and dancing in the evening. The affair is under the management of Mr. Edward F. Carter.

Manager Bean, of The Norombega, is organizing a polo team from young men who have played before and who are good skaters and games will be played with other teams. The first one will probably be with an Oldtown team, if one is organized in that city as is expected. Polo is an exciting game and many would like to see it played again.

New Advertisements.

All of our readers will be directly interested in perusing the advertisement of the E. C. Nichols Co. That enterprising concern has an important announcement to-day. See advertisement.

Buy one of those handy measuring cups at P. H. Vose & Co.'s. Only 10 cents.

Meeting of St. John's Commandery this evening.

Tyler, Fogg & Co. have fine municipal bonds for sale. See their insurance notices of standing of companies they represent.

Scottish Rite Masonry.

There was a very important Masonic meeting in Portland Friday. It was a special rendezvous of the Maine Consistory, Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite, commencing at 3.30 P. M.

At 4 o'clock the 21st degree—Prussian Knight Patriarch Noachite—was conferred in due form with full ceremonies and appropriate music. There was a banquet at 5 o'clock P. M. In the evening at 7 o'clock the 30th degree—Grand Elect Knight Kadosh of the White and Black Eagle—was conferred with full ceremonies.

There were 26 candidates who were advanced through the various degrees of the consistory. At the conclusion of the work the officers-elect for three years were installed by Past I Ill. Commander-in-Chief Marquis F. King.

There was a very large attendance of 32d degree Masons from different sections of the State.

Base Ball Notes.

"Bobby" Moore will play with the Bangors all right.—*Boston Herald.*

Manager Harry Diddlebock has arrived at his new field of labor in St. Louis.

Pitcher "Buck" Sullivan has been giving the Harvard players some practice in the cage.

The Bangors will play Harvard at Cambridge, April 21, and will play Ed. Norton's Lawrence team at Lawrence on Patriots' day.

THE ARMENIAN QUESTION.

Dr. Cyrus Hamlin, Formerly of Bangor, Talks on the Subject.

Rev. Dr. Cyrus Hamlin, formerly of Bangor, and late president of Roberts College, Constantinople, spoke Saturday at the annual meeting of the Massachusetts Club, held at Young's, Boston, and it was made the occasion of a vigorous treatment of the Armenian question.

Most of the information on the subject was furnished by Dr. Hamlin, who has spent, in all, forty years in Turkey, and has lived among the Armenians. He was a guest of the club.

There were about thirty members of the club present, and Hon. Robert O. Fuller, vice president, presided.

Dr. Hamlin's subject was "Turkey and the Armenians." He asked, on opening, who was responsible for this most awful massacre of a noble people. He answered, first, the Sultan of Turkey, Abdul Hamid, who has the power of life and death over his subjects and the privilege to raise up or cast down every officer in his empire. He could not shirk the responsibility.

Dr. Hamlin said he was sorry that Lord Salisbury had stated that the Sultan is not responsible, which was an absurd and disgraceful statement to make.

The speaker then dealt with Russia, which he said is unquestionably at the bottom of this thing. Russia knew how to do it. She had done it in Bulgaria. Russia reaped an immense benefit from it, and she will reap the reward she looked for in the case of Armenia.

Dr. Hamlin said that the revolutions originated in Russia. He characterized it as absurd that the Armenians could rise in Turkey. The people in the scattered villages of Armenia never used weapons and were not allowed to have them. There were only about 2,500,000 Armenians among 20,000,000 Turks, and the whole affair was a trick of Russia to make trouble. And Hamid wanted trouble; wanted an excuse for annihilating the Armenians.

He had been at work on it for a long time, and the incendiary publications printed in London, New York and Worcester, at Russian instigation, were translated into Turkish and spread all over the empire to fire the Mussulman heart against the Armenians. Hamid was willing to use a mere pretext for action.

Next to Russia, undoubtedly England was responsible. The Greeks have always been defeated by Russia. Armenian Catholics were defended by France, and not one of them has been touched except by a blunder on the part of Turkish officers. If England had acted as France did, these massacres would not have occurred.

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT.

January Civil Term, 1896.

CHIEF JUSTICE J. A. PETERS, Presiding Justice.

HUEL SMITH, Reporter.

O. F. SWEET, Clerk.

C. R. BROWN, Sheriff.

Saturday, February 1st.

The court was engaged to-day with divorce cases, which will also be continued Monday.

Musical-Literary Club Meeting.

The following Mendelssohn programme will be given by the Musical Literary Club Tuesday evening at a quarter before eight in the Central church vestry:

Quartette for strings in D Major, Allegro vivace
Messrs. Wasgatt, Andrews, Pullen and Sawyer.

Lecture ..... Execution vs. Study
Miss Helena Smith.

Flute Solo ..... Songs Without Words
a—Barcarolle in G.
b—Consolation.
c—Spring Song.
d—Spinning Song.
Mr. S. H. Bourdman.

Essay ..... Mendelssohn's Life
Mrs. J. A. Thompson.

Solo..Oh Rest in the Lord, from Oratorio of Elijah
Mrs. E. T. Wasgatt.

Piano Solo ..... Rondo Capriccioso
Mrs. H. L. Jewell.

Mixed Quartette ..... Farewell to the Forest
Mrs. W. L. Bragg, Miss Grace Chapman, Mr. George Silsby and Mr. George Moody.

Characterization of Mendelssohn .....
Miss Grace Chalmers.

Violin Solo ..... Concerto in G Minor
Dr. O. E. Woagatt.

Soprano Solo...Jerusalem, from Oratorio St. Paul
Mrs. W. L. Bragg.

Piano Duet .....
.....Overture to Midsummer Night's Dream
Mrs. J. E. Ayer and Mrs. F. E. Tuck.

Miss Mae Silsby and Mrs. F. E. Tuck will act as accompanists. A descriptive analysis will be read before the rendering of each composition by Mrs. J. A. Thompson. All those interested in music are invited to attend.

The Mail Carriers' Banquet.

The Bangor mail carriers had their annual banquet Saturday night at the Penobscot Exchange and the occasion was a very pleasant one to all. At 10.30 a party numbering eighteen, including several guests, sat down at the tables in the dining room and discussed a choice menu, the excellent dishes of which were efficiently served. The supper was very creditable to Landlords Cratty & Moon and was well appreciated.

After supper interesting speeches were made by a number of those present and some time was devoted to singing popular airs, making it an enjoyable occasion. The committee of arrangements was composed of Carriers Crowley, Holden and Brown.

Parlor Recital.

The third parlor recital was given Saturday afternoon at the residence of Chief Justice J. A. Peters on Broadway, and like the others it was an enjoyable occasion. The following selections were admirably rendered by Dr. Oscar E. Wasgatt on the violin, with Miss Garland as accompanist:

Sonata, Op. 8 ..... Ed. Greig
Fantasia, from "Faust" ..... Wagner
"Peer Gynt Suite" ..... Greig
Souvenir de Haydn ..... Leonard

The next recital in a month will be at the residence of Mrs. Harvey on Court street.

Sacred Concert.

The sacred concert at City Hall last evening was attended by a fair sized audience which enjoyed the music and recitals of the following programme:

Baritone Solo, "The Ship I Love" ..... Gleason
Mr. Clarence O. Brooks.

Reading, "The Story of Some Bells" .....
Miss Virginia Mary Ring; Miss Nina Douglass, piano accompanist.

Cornet Solo, "Sleep Well, Sweet Angel" ....Abt
Mr. R. B. Hall.

Solo .....
Madame Dalix Despret.

Reading .....
Miss Granville.

Solo, (a) "Sweetest Eyes" ..... Lowitz
(b) Volunteer Organist (by request) .....
..... Edward J. Pooler. ..... Gray-Spaulding

Solo, "Angels' Serenade" ..... Braga
Madame Dalix Despret.

Reading, "A Baby Elle" .....
Miss Virginia Mary Ring.

Solo, "Silent Prayer" ..... Howlett
Mr. Edward J. Pooler.

Cornet Solo, "Lost Chord" ..... Sullivan
Mr. R. B. Hall.

Baritone Solo, "Sailors' Anchor" ..... Newton
Mr. Clarence O. Brooks.

"American" ..... Smith.
Audience, led by soloists of the evening.
Mr. R. A. Ringwall, accompanist.

Mme. Despret was in excellent voice and her solos were heard with much pleasure. The violin obligato for the "Angel's Serenade" was pleasingly rendered by Miss Staples.

Miss Ring's recitals were skillful elocutionary efforts which were received with much favor. Miss Douglass played her piano accompaniment with good effect.

Mr. R. B. Hall received a warm welcome and responded with splendidly rendered cornet solos which were heard with great pleasure.

Mr. Brooks, of Portland, possesses a melodious baritone voice and was heard to excellent advantage in his pleasing songs.

Mr. Pooler is always a favorite and his songs were among the most enjoyable features of the programme.

Little Miss Granville recited in place of Miss Josie Welch, who was unable to appear, and was very cunning and interesting.

Mr. R. A. Ringwall's accompaniments were skillful and helpful.

AMUSEMENTS.

W. S. Cleveland's Minstrels.

Cleveland's Minstrels will be the attraction at the Opera House next Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock and in the evening at 8.15. The Atlanta *Constitution* has the following:

My, what crowds! And what a big show! Cleveland certainly has things coming his way. He turned people away at both performances yesterday. The show deserves its success. A remarkable fellow is W. S. Cleveland, whose minstrel company was in Atlanta yesterday. He is one of the youngest

fellows who has attained prominence as a manager, and if a man has ups and downs he is that man. With anything like the wonderful luck he is in now, and the big business his Quadruple New and Greater Massive Minstrels are doing everywhere, next year he will find himself several blocks above the furthest point upon the sunny side of Easy street that he has ever lived. If there is any reward in this world for energy, Billy Cleveland is sure to come out at the top of the heap. Everybody who knows him hopes that he will and believes it, too.

Bowling.

The following bowling games were played Saturday at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium:

B. B. C.	Total.	Strikes.	Spares.	Breaks.
Mudgett	143	2	3	5
Mayo	151	4	2	4
Cunningham	122	2	1	7
Grant	141	1	4	5
Hutchinson, Capt.	178	4	3	3
Totals	735	13	13	24

B. H. S.	Total.	Strikes.	Spares.	Breaks.
Sprague	153	3	4	4
Bunker, Capt.	136	1	4	5
McCann	132	2	1	7
Jacques	105	4	2	4
Snow	147	0	6	4
Totals	736	10	17	24

Y. M. C. A. 2D.	Total.	Strikes.	Spares.	Breaks.
Connors	173	2	6	3
Lyons	160	4	4	3
E. Chalmers	168	4	4	2
Waite	120	2	2	5
A. Chalmers, Capt.	153	3	3	5
Totals	792	15	17	19

B. B. C.	Total.	Strikes.	Spares.	Breaks.
Mudgett	126	1	4	3
Mayo	133	1	4	5
Cunningham	136	3	1	6
Grant	140	1	4	5
Hutchinson, Capt.	216	3	4	3
Totals	751	14	14	24

The following is the

TEAM STANDING:

Y. M. C. A.	3,977
B. H. S.	3,932
B. B. C.	3,559
Y. M. C. A. 2d	3,352

INDIVIDUAL STANDING.

Jacques	864
Bean	841
Wheelden	820
Snow	810
Hutchinson	793
Gibbs	789
Flynn	778
Sprague	757
Bunker	754
Connors	754
McCann	751
Soney	746
Grant	725
E. Chalmers	711
Mudgett	686

The above named are the first fifteen at the end of the first five games. Four more games are to be bowled by each team.

Annual Banquet.

The Comus club, an organization of traveling men, held a banquet at the Lancey House, Pittsfield, Friday night, in honor of Landlord Rufus Burns. Pullen's orchestra, of Bangor, furnished excellent music for the pleasant and successful affair. The banquet menu was a handsome three-fold arrangement, embossed on the outside and containing a half-tone cut of the house and some poetry.

Among those present were: E. A. Baldwin, North Andover, Mass.; H. L. Paine, H. F. Hayes, W. A. Sampson, A. C. Doar, E. H. Webster, C. H. Clifford, A. M. Pierce, C. M. Hammond, J. Fred Crane, C. C. Giles, Whit Sawyer, A. Stanley, B. S. Agnew, W. E. Ayer, F. L. Ward, T. F. Salkeld, Boston; C. I. Anthony, Providence; B. F. Rollins, Plymouth; E. M. Small, Lewiston; C. H. Chute, New York; J. F. Jack, Portland; H. C. Fuller, Hartland; H. S. Hey, Cincinnati; Henry Parker, Bangor; N. W. Hum, Bath; L. P. Huntoon, Brunswick; R. W. Haines, Skowhegan; S. P. Felker, Portland; Geo. A. Alden, Waterville; L. C. Morse, C. B. Haskell, Pittsfield; G. F. Lord, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Our Own Folks and Other Folks.

Mr. W. P. Carr, of Bowdoinham, is in the city.

Mr. W. W. Edes, of Guilford, was in the city Saturday.

Mr. D. A. Booker, of Brunswick, was in the city Saturday.

Mrs. W. Scott Hill, of Augusta, is the guest of Miss Peters in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Crane, of Boston, are in the city at the Bangor House.

Mrs. G. G. Fifield, of Dexter, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Nichols, of this city.

Mr. J. W. Fitzpatrick, of Portland, was in the city Saturday on insurance business.

Mrs. A. E. Neal, of Calais, is the guest of Mrs. William Engel, on Ohio street.

Col. E. C. Farrington, State inspector of rifle practice, is in the city at the Bangor House.

Mr. C. W. Coffin has returned from a trip to the lumbering region around Katahdin Iron Works.

Hon. Rodney C. Penney, on Monson, who has been in Augusta for a day or two, has gone to Boston on business.

Mr. Thomas Gilbert, the Orono lumberman, was in the city Saturday, coming from his camps at Katahdin Iron Works.

Messrs. Daniel Webster, A. C. Jerrard, John T. Clark, D. Fred Dority, and others leave today for a fishing trip to Pistol Lake.

Hon. Frank Jones and party were in the city Saturday morning on their way to Tunk Pond. They took breakfast at the Maine Central restaurant.

Dr. E. B. Sanger has gone to New York, accompanying Mr. Witherell, of Philadelphia, who has been seriously ill at the Bangor House and who returns home.

Hon. Charles F. Daggett, of Presque Isle, member of the Executive Council, with Mrs. Daggett and her daughter, left for Hot Springs, Ark., Friday. They will remain at Hot Springs during the remainder of the winter.

Capt. W. S. Edgerly, U. S. A., instructor in military science at the Maine State College, returned yesterday from an absence, during the college vacation, in other States and Washington, D. C., and is occupying his rooms at the Bangor House.

Johnson's Anodyne Liniment used externally, cures rheumatism; not in a minute, however.

TIRED, LANGUID FEELING.

"Last Spring I was all run down, and the family physician recommended Hood's Sarsaparilla. I took three bottles and felt very much benefited by its use. It cured that tired, languid feeling, and I cheerfully recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla." Mrs. Amanda B. Riley, East Corinth, Me.

Hood's Pills cure sick headache, indigestion.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

A GREAT ROCK SLIDE.

It Took Place at Rockland After Men Had Quit Work.

ROCKLAND, Me., Feb. 2. An immense rock slide occurred